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It is now positively known that Albert Mayer came to his death in Allegheny last Sunday morning by being foully murdered by thugs who are members of the band of protected grafters.—Page 1.

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TROOPS WOUND STRIKERS.

Crowd Charged With Drawn Sabres in Switzerland.

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, Oct. 9.—The Workmen's National committee has decreed a general strike throughout Switzerland in sympathy with the strike of the street car employes here.

At a late hour this evening several hundred strikers and their sympathizers assembled in the street car depot and clamored for the resignation of a prominent official of the company. A battalion of infantry failed to clear the streets. Cavalry was then summoned and charged the crowd with drawn sabres. Several persons were wounded and others were arrested. It is estimated that 10,000 men are on strike.

Russell Sage Much Better.

LAWRENCE, L. I., Oct. 9.—Russell Sage had another very good night and his physician said today that his patient would soon be about as usual.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—William H. Crane in "David Harum," 8:15 p. m.

NEW GRAND—Stock Company in "Mistress Nell," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

BIJOU—"The Bandit King," 8:15 p. m.

EMPIRE—"Hunting for Hawkins," 8:15 p. m.

DUQUESNE—The Orpheum Show, 8:15 p. m.

ACADEMY—"Gay Morning Glories," 2 and 8:15 p. m.

AVENUE—Continuous Vaudeville, 1:00 and 7:30 p. m.

PITTSBURGH EXPOSITION—Damrosch's orchestra, in concerts, 2, 4, 7:30 and 9:30 p. m.

A Law Suit

is the only kind of a suit that cannot be found at Kaufmann's, whose advertisement is on the third page today.

J. P. MORGAN BACKS MINE OPERATORS

One More Effort to Intercede for Peace Ends in Failure.

OWNERS WARNED OF MORE TROUBLE

Quay, Penrose Platt and Odell Tell What They May Expect from Courts.

SOME FRUITLESS TALKS

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Herald Building, Herald Square, NEW YORK, Oct. 9.

Failure today marked the efforts of Republican leaders of this state and of Pennsylvania who had taken to themselves the task of bringing peace in the anthracite region.

Two messengers were sent from the conference to get accurately the views of J. P. Morgan. They were Senator Quay and Frank H. Platt, son of the senior United States senator from this state.

To them Mr. Morgan declared there was not an iota of truth in the assertion that he desired the operators to change their policy in the slightest degree. On the contrary, he assured his visitors that he indorsed the attitude of the operators; that he believed it is a question of principle for which they are contending, and that he in no wise would interfere with their conduct of the controversy.

When this report was made to the conference there was a speedy end of the discussion. Before the gathering dispersed young Mr. Platt was asked by the coal operators how it came that they were requested to hold this conference. His reply, it is understood, was that the meeting was called entirely on representations made to him by Edward Lauterbach and David Lamar, that it was Mr. Morgan's desire to bring about a speedy termination of the strike.

More Than One Conference.

Lamar was a party to the Northern Securities suit, the action which was brought in the state of New Jersey against the United States Steel Corporation, and who, some years ago, was concerned in the Union Pacific affair.

Early in the morning a conference had been held in Senator Platt's office between Senator Platt, Gov. Odell, Senators Quay and Penrose of Pennsylvania and Edward Lauterbach. Lasting two and one-half hours, it paved the way for another conference in the afternoon.

From a prominent Republican, who was present at the meeting, the following summary of the situation was obtained for The Gazette:

Gov. Odell and Senators Platt, Quay and Penrose warned the coal operators that if no change in the uncompromising attitude hitherto assumed by the men who operate the anthracite mines is noted, the legislature of Pennsylvania could be counted upon to enact the most hostile measures practicable to overthrow the coal trust. Four points, or counts, in this proceeding were laid down:

Warned of Court Action.

First—It would be proved that the combination of coal operators is a trust and amenable to the Sherman anti-trust law.

Second—That it is also subject to the same federal restraint as the Chicago grain operators, in the now celebrated Granger decision of the United States supreme court regarding the attitude of those controlling the operations of a plant dealing with a public necessity and refusing to make use of its facilities.

Third—That every one of the coal mining, coal hauling Pennsylvania companies is operating in violation of the Pennsylvania statutes forbidding a coal carrier from mining coal, and vice versa.

Fourth—Since the coal-carrying corporations are the creations of the Pennsylvania legislature, that same power can destroy that which it has created, and no time would be lost in annulling or repealing the charters now held by the operators.

In the conference Senator Quay was regarded as the guiding hand on the statesmen's side, but Gov. Odell was the principal speaker. President Roosevelt's pledge to Mr. Mitchell, that a commission would be appointed to inquire into the alleged grievances of the mine workers, and that subsequently recommendations would be made to congress looking to the enactment of measures calculated to relieve them if the men would go back to work tentatively, was cited as showing the state of President Roosevelt's mind, and other intimations were given that public sentiment is such that the operators must do something at once or face the certainty of losing their charters or suffering dire legislative attacks of one sort or another.

Not Talkative to the Public.

All the participants were reticent as to what took place at the several conferences. They declared merely that the outlook for the settlement of the strike was hopeful; that other conferences would be held tomorrow, and that a crisis is imminent. Gov. Odell said:

"I will not say anything as to the results of the conferences or whether we are to have future conferences. I did do a little talking today, but nothing very heavy."

Senator Quay was mute and at 10 o'clock went to bed. Senator Penrose went out for a stroll after dinner, but said he was not going to attend any more conferences tonight.

According to one authority Senator Quay and Gov. Odell expressed to the operators the opinion that should the strike continue for two weeks longer the effect would be to so possess the public mind with the one subject of shortage of fuel that political duties would be neglected and the voters remain away from the polls on election day, with the natural result that the majority party in Pennsylvania and New York would be the greater sufferer.

Armistice Idea Rejected.

Senator Penrose expressed his concurrence in the representations of the others and Senator Platt and Mr. Lauterbach spoke in a similar strain. These latter advised something in the nature of an armistice under an implied promise to the miners that their union would be recognized by the operators.

On the other part, the operators declared that the question at issue is entirely apart from party politics, and they

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GEN. THOS. J. STEWART, New Commander-in-Chief of the G. A. R.

THE GRAND ARMY ELECTS STEWART

Keystone General Will Preside Over Veterans for One Year.

WHY EVANS RETIRED

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, 608 Fifteenth St., N. W., WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9.

Adjt.-Gen. Thomas J. Stewart of the Pennsylvania national guard late this afternoon was elected to be commander-in-chief of the G. A. R. for the ensuing year. As was told in these dispatches last night, the contest narrowed down to Gen. Stewart, Gen. Black of Illinois, and Col. McElroy of this city. As Gen. Black and Col. McElroy had been vigorous critics of the pension policy of this administration, the conservatives rallied to the support of Gen. Stewart.

But one ballot was necessary, Gen. Stewart receiving 467 votes, or a majority of 112 over his competitors. Black received 272 and McElroy, 83. Before the ballot Gen. Sickles withdrew and seconded the nomination of Black. On motion of an Illinois delegate, seconded by Col. McElroy, Gen. Stewart was given a unanimous vote.

The other officers elected were William M. Olin of Massachusetts, vice commander-in-chief, and James M. Averill of Georgia, junior vice commander-in-chief. Election of other officers went over until tomorrow.

Ohio and West Virginia Aspirants.

For senior vice commander the only candidate in opposition to Mr. Olin was J. L. Smith of Ohio. Mr. Olin's vote was 421, and Mr. Smith's 326. Averill was opposed by L. C. Way of Florida and Mr. Shaw of West Virginia. Averill received 567 votes; Way, 57, and Shaw, 26.

The opening prayer today was delivered by the Rev. J. B. Starkey of Pittsburgh, who acted as chaplain-in-chief.

A resolution was adopted expressing the grief of the convention over the death of President McKinley and regret over President Roosevelt's indisposition.

The report of Adjt.-Gen. Silas H. Towler of Minneapolis shows that on June 30 the muster roll of the Grand Army contained 268,745 names of members in good standing and that there were 6,511 posts. The figures show a net loss since the preceding year of 5,894. The highwater mark of membership was attained in 1890, when it numbered 409,489. The number of deaths during the year was 8,299.

Why Commissioner Evans Quit.

Among the official documents presented was the report of the committee appointed last year to investigate the administration of the pension office by H. Clay Evans. The first name signed to the report was that of Gen. Eli Torrance, commander-in-chief, who stated in his address that as soon as the report was brought to President Roosevelt's notice the resignation of Commissioner Evans was accepted.

"From a personal investigation," they say, "we are convinced that scores of claims are rejected every day that should be allowed."

The responsibility for these rejections is laid principally at the door of the medical division of the pension bureau. The report says:

Pension Officers Distrusted.

"We respectfully submit that it cannot reasonably be expected that the pension laws will be fairly construed and justly administered in accordance with their spirit by those who treat every applicant for a pension with distrust, regard his attorney as a fraud and brand the examining surgeons as incompetent and dishonest."

The veterans and their wives are leaving for home rapidly, two-thirds of those from Pennsylvania having departed already.

The Department of Pennsylvania, Woman's Relief Corps, held a reunion this morning, President Dr. Millie J. Chapman officiating. Dr. Chapman's staff is composed of Mrs. Elizabeth Boyd, senior vice president, Wilkesbarre; Mrs. Jennie Rishel, junior vice president, Homestead; Mrs. Margaret Holiday, chaplain, Wellsboro; Mrs. Ada Hardwick, inspector, Clearfield; Mrs. Alfaretta M. Devine, counselor, Rolfe; Mrs. E. L. Pearce, I. and I. officer, Scranton; Mrs. Glendora Carpenter, patriotic instructor, Johnstown; Mrs. Sarah F. Krebs, chairman department relief committee, 720 Shady avenue, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Nan Y. Leslie, press correspondent, Avalon; Mrs. Abbie Lynch, department secretary, Allegheny.

CHARLES W. METZGAR.

TWO FOUND DEAD.

Aged Man Believed to Have Killed His Wife and Himself.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Oct. 9.—The bodies of Pleasant Pruitt, aged 62, and his wife, Winnie Pruitt, aged 47, were found side by side late this afternoon in the basement of their home here. Mrs. Pruitt had been killed with a knife, two stabs penetrating the heart.

Pruitt had been killed by a pistol wound in the head. The two had quarreled frequently. Pruitt is said to have killed a former wife several years ago, but the coroner decided it was an accident.

Delightful to the Women

who are on the lookout for bargains, to know that Kaufmann's advertisement is on the third page today.

A Bray Most Pretentious.

SOLDIER OF TENTH SHOT IN SHOULDER

Sergt. Veiock of Company B Wounded While Standing in His Tent.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

SHAMOKIN, PA., Oct. 9.—Ira Velock, sergeant in Company B, Tenth regiment, was standing in the kitchen mess tent when a bullet from a revolver pierced the tent and lodged in his right shoulder.

Comrades of the wounded soldier rushed from the tent and saw four men, one holding a revolver, rush from the top of a culm bank close by and disappear on the mountain. A number of soldiers gave chase, but the men escaped. Velock's wound is not dangerous.

Fifteen hundred strikers paraded the streets tonight before attending a meeting addressed by John Collins of Chicago. Four men dressed in National Guard uniform walked abreast, carrying the American flag. They were cheered by strikers along the sidewalks.

Officers of the Tenth regiment deny that the marching soldiers belonged to the regiment.

NEW BRIGHTON, PA., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Ira Velock, who was shot in the shoulder while on strike duty at Shamokin, lives with his mother in this city. He is quartermaster sergeant of Company B, Tenth regiment. Velock is a potter.

TUNNEL STREET STABLES BURNED

Fourteen Valuable Horses Owned by the City Killed.

Fire destroyed the stables of the department of public works in Tunnel street and burned 14 horses to death early this morning. From the time the fire was discovered it gained rapid headway and the fire companies were unable to save any part of the building. The damage is estimated at $15,000.

The fire was discovered about 2 o'clock and two alarms were sent in in rapid succession. When the firemen arrived the building was in flames and dead horses were lying about in the first floor and the doorway of the building.

The origin of the fire is unknown. John Schutt, the night watchman, said that about 2 o'clock a stranger knocked on the door of the office and said the stable was afire. He discovered the cellar filled with flames. He quickly turned in an alarm and ran back to get out the horses.

Schutt said that the stable lodged 30 horses. Of these eight were out with the street wagon. Six or eight horses were taken from the building before the flames reached the first floor. After that all escape was cut off and the remaining horses were trapped and fell where they stood.

The building burned was a two-story brick structure and very old. It has been used as the city stables for many years and was packed with a large quantity of supplies belonging to the bureau of highways and sewers. The stables stood on property leased by the city, only the building itself being public property.

OPERATORS WANT REGULARS CALLED

WILKESBARRE, Oct. 9.—It was reported here tonight that there is a movement on foot among the operators to ask Gov. Stone for more assistance on the ground that the state troops now in the field are not sufficient to completely patrol the entire anthracite territory. If such a request is sent and the governor should grant it he would be compelled to call on the federal government for the troops.

HOW MAYER WAS FOULLY KILLED

Allegheny Thugs Were Seen to Beat Him to Death.

ATTITUDE OF POLICE

Albert Mayer, who was found unconscious in East Robinson street, Allegheny, on Sunday morning and died later in the Allegheny General hospital, was foully murdered in a fight with Allegheny thugs, who held him up for his money. His assailants and murderous possibly got $10. Mayer had only a short time before lost most of his money in William Neff's poker joint in Robinson street. From Neff's place he wandered into "Dill" Briegle's speakeasy at No. 17 Lacock street, where he got into a fight with a man named Emmerson. Later Emmerson, with two well-known thieves, was seen to hold Mayer up in East Robinson street, by Samuel Gib, a baggagemaster on the Fort Wayne railroad; "Ren" DeMiller, a brakeman on the same road, and Robert Black, a mill man employed in the Rosedale foundry.

After they beat and kicked Mayer into insensibility Emmerson and his thugs left him there, bleeding and dying. There was a fourth man with this gang who did not have anything to do in assaulting Mayer, but who afterward became frightened over Mayer's condition and ran to John Thompson's speakeasy at No. 51 Craig street and breathlessly announced that "the boys had killed a man."

Burg Was Told to Forget.

William Burg, who lives at the Federal hotel in Federal street, was in this speakeasy at the time the man entered and heard him make the remark. Burg said last night that the man was asked to repeat his remark.

"Why, the gang have killed a man in East Robinson street," he said.

Then a number of the waiters took hold of the man and rushed him out of the room, and that was the last Burg saw of him. Burg was met by Detective Einstein later Sunday morning and taken before Supt. Muth. Burg says Muth questioned him about the incident and then told him to forget what he had heard.

Baggagemaster Gib and Brakeman DeMiller had just left the Ft. Wayne station and were walking out Robinson street when the assault and robbery took place. They passed the spot where Mayer was murdered. It was raining and they think it was about 5 o'clock.

Mayer was heard to warn the men to let him alone. This was followed by curses from the thugs and then they went at Mayer. He was knocked down and kicked. Gib and DeMiller, knowing the character of the neighborhood, did not care to interfere.

Assailants Are Protected Grafters.

Baggagemaster Gib and Brakeman DeMiller saw Emmerson with the gang that assaulted Mayer. Foundryman Robert Black also saw the fight, but as he did not know any of the participants passed on without interfering.

Emmerson is well known to DeMiller and Gib. They say he was formerly employed as a newsboy on the Ft. Wayne railroad, where they made his acquaintance.

The Allegheny police were in possession of all these facts last night, yet made no move toward making an arrest, despite the fact that Emmerson was known to be in the Robinson street section last night.

Coroner McGeary is working on the case and will, it is said, issue commitments for the arrest of Mayer's assailants in a short time. He says he has sufficient evidence to push the case, but is waiting on the action of Supt. Muth.

AMERICAN ANTHRACITE RE-BOUGHT IN GERMANY

BERLIN, Oct. 9.—American anthracite coal, imported at Hamburg last winter, is being rebought for the United States.

An Important Fact

For All Pittsburghers to know, that the advertisement of Kaufmann Bros., usually on the last page, will be found on page 3 today.

MARKLE SAYS TROOPS WILL KILL 150 MINERS

His Prophecy Not Relished by the Soldiers—Movement to Get Regulars.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

HAZLETON, PA., Oct. 9.—John Markle today predicted to the guardsmen that before they go home they will shoot down 150 striking employes of his collieries.

Mr. Markle, who is the most influential independent operator in this vicinity, and was one of the most conspicuously radical in his attitude at the recent White House conference, made this grewsome prophecy, not in the tone of one who deplores a painful necessity, but rather as if such a tragedy would hasten the end of the deadlock.

Of all the coal operators in the Hazleton district John Markle probably is the most cordially disliked by the miners. To that distinction he has added within the 36 hours since the troops have been camped on his coal lands the achievement of having antagonized the national guard to a man. He has done this less by his autocratic attitude toward officers and men than by his seemingly studied efforts to stimulate friction between troops and strikers.

The coal operators are growing doubtful about working the mines, following the determined stand indicated by the miners' union, and have under way a movement to ask for more troops. On Saturday a formal call will be made for the sending of United States troops to the region unless some settlement materializes from the conference in New York.

The request for federal troops will have to be made through Gov. Stone.

MINISTER ACCUSED ELDER OF DRINKING

Wheeling Preacher Caused Sensation in Synod at East Liverpool.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WHEELING, Oct. 9.—"Do you want a drinking man on the board?" shouted the Rev. Dr. J. H. Littell of Wheeling, pastor of the Second United Presbyterian church, in the Ohio synod of the denomination at East Liverpool this morning. Dr. Littell adopted this method of opposing the election of Elder W. J. W. Cowden, also of Wheeling, to membership on the board of trustees of Allegheny seminary.

Dr. Littell spoke excitedly in the midst of the balloting and for several minutes the church was in a turmoil. The moderator rebuked the clergyman sharply and Elder Cowden was elected almost unanimously. The incident was the outcropping of church friction in Wheeling that culminated in a division of the First United Presbyterian congregation, Dr. Littell being pastor of the new one.

Elder Cowden is one of the most distinguished lawyers in West Virginia and a regent of the West Virginia State university. The East Liverpool matter has brought on a church sensation and there promises to be further developments. Dr. Littell made other grave accusations. Dr. Littell is one of the best known men of the church and he has just returned from Dublin, where he was a general assembly representative to the world's convention of Psalm singing churches.

PRESIDENT SENDS MAN TO INVESTIGATE.

WILKESBARRE, Oct. 9.—George Graham Brooks, personal representative of President Roosevelt, came here today to look up certain matters pertaining to the coal strike. He interviewed a number of miners this evening. Tomorrow he will have a talk with the local coal operators. He will make a report to the president early next week.

SOLDIERS WATCH TRAIN MOVE OUT

Called Upon to Guard It Against Strikers, But None Appear.

ALL UNDER CANVAS

BY WILLIAM L. ROSS, Staff Correspondent.

Headquarters Fourteenth Infantry, Camp Col. James Glenn, Mahanoy City, Oct. 9.—Camp was made and named and the first service in protecting coal property was given today by the Fourteenth regiment.

Early this afternoon Col. Thompson, commanding the regiment, received from Supt. A. T. Dice of the Shenandoah division of the Philadelphia & Reading railroad, a request that a guard be furnished to transport 14 cars away from the washery at the North Mahanoy collieries. The Second battalion, under command of Maj. Robert M. Ewing, was immediately detailed to perform the service. The battalion marched from the camp to the tracks. The coal was started without molestation from strikers, few of whom even saw it. Then the battalion marched back again. There was no evidence of intention to disturb the movement.

All the colliery except the washery is closed. The washery is being operated with non-union men. The product is insignificantly small.

Almost an ideal camp has been laid out on a hill northwest of Mahanoy City. A farm of six acres or so is the place chosen by Col. Thompson, Maj. Ewing and Capt. Murray I. Livingston, quartermaster.

Sleep Under Canvas.

All day was spent in making the tented town and tonight the soldiers of the Fourteenth sleep beneath canvas. Every tent has a board floor and a cot is there for each man. The hospital tent alone is unoccupied. Tomorrow a postoffice will be established. Chaplain John A. Burnett, who at home is pastor of the Second United Presbyterian church of Wilkinsburg, has been appointed postmaster. Today he arranged with the Mahanoy City postoffice for frequent deliveries and collections. Any one can now have good mail service with the regiment. Adress letters, telegrams, etc., in this fashion: "John Smith, Company X, Fourteenth Regiment Headquarters, Mahanoy City, Pa." It requires from 15 to 20 hours for letters to come from Pittsburgh here, because of slow connections.

The camp was today named by Col. Thompson "Camp Col. James Glenn," as a tribute to the memory of a former Fourteenth commander, now dead. Col. Glenn last commanded the regiment in 1885. The two other deceased commanders, James A. Gray and Peter D. Perchment, have been remembered at former encampments in the same way.

Sent to Brigade Headquarters.

G. R. McNary of Company I was ordered today to report to brigade headquarters for permanent service. These headquarters are at Ashland. There have been some suggestions of moving them to Mahanoy City, as it is more centrally located, but in all probability Ashland will remain the brigadier general's headquarters. Gen. John A. Wiley, in command of the brigade, is expected to reach Ashland today. He was in Kansas when the order calling out the whole division was issued and has since been en route to Ashland. Col. Willis J. Hullings, as the senior colonel, has filled the position of brigade commander, and with signal success.

A significant address was made to the entire regiment by Col. Thompson just after the command reached the camp grounds. He said that the discipline of the command is to be of the strictest, that all liquor will be confiscated, and that no one not equipped with a written permit will be allowed to pass outside the lines. He urged every man to do his duty.

Friendly With Strikers.

Col. Thompson said today, in answer to a question, that there is no need in sight now for dividing the regiment up for assignments to various localities, as is being done with several other commands.

"Peace prevails everywhere. The command will all stay together until conditions demand its being divided," he said.

The good feeling between the soldiers and the strikers at Mahanoy continues. The story is told in the following headlines of the Daily Record of this city: "Boys of the Fourteenth mix well with the strikers. They are encamped at Smith's farm and give promise of enjoying hugely their holiday."

WOULD CLOSE ALL MINES

Western Men Promise Aid to Mitchell in His Present Fight, Canada Interested.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—In a special from Denver, the Journal this morning says:

President Moyer of the Western Federation of Miners has offered to help President Mitchell to close every mine in the United States and Canada, and in Wales, too, if necessary. The following messages passed over the wire last night:

"DENVER, Oct. 9.

"John Mitchell—Exigencies demand that no coal of any kind be mined in the United States and Canada until the anthracite strike is won. The Western Federation of Miners will co-operate to this end."

Mr. Mitchell sent the following reply:

"Telegram received. Shall give careful consideration to your suggestion. Many thanks for the proffer of co-operation and assistance."

EXPELLING MILITIAMEN.

Schenectady's Large Trades Assembly Takes Sensational Action.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—(Special.)—The Sun this morning, in a special from Schenectady, N. Y., says:

At its meeting this evening the Schenectady Trades Assembly, representing over 12,000 members, unanimously voted to recommend the expulsion from its respective local unions of all members who are members of the national guard of the state. This action has created a profound sensation in this city, which is thoroughly organized in the trades union sense. It is estimated that fully 80 per cent of the members of the local militia companies of the Second regiment are members of the trades unions.

Brakeman Killed at Duquesne.

August Knope, 35 years old, of Duquesne, a brakeman, was struck by a shifting engine in the yard of the Duquesne steel works and instantly killed at 12:45 o'clock this morning.

Going to the Front

for today only. Kaufmann's advertisement will be on the third page instead of on last, where it is generally found.

EIGHTEENTH IS AROUSED BY SENTRIES

Shots Exchanged With Men in Thicket Surrounding Camp.

CHEAP REVOLVER IS LEFT BEHIND

Prowlers Escape in Darkness, Though Thorough Search for Them Is Made.

CLASH WITH THE CORONER

BY ROBERT WRAY, Staff Correspondent.

Shenandoah, Pa., Oct. 10.—The sentries on the exterior guard line of the Eighteenth regiment were fired on at 3 o'clock this morning. The shots came from the undergrowth on the mountain, but the guards failed to locate their men.

Headquarters Eighteenth Regiment, Shenadoah, Pa., Oct. 9.—At 3 o'clock this morning the officers and men of the Eighteenth infantry were awakened by the report of a rifle fired by a sentry, which was followed by a number of other shots by pickets.

A volley of stones was thrown at the sentry to the rear of the tent of Assistant Surgeon B. S. Ralston. He saw several forms moving in the bushes and fired at them and the sentries on his right and left opened fire an instant later. A short while later 10 shots were fired, which were replied to by some one hidden on the mountain side.

Two large dogs were seen by one of the sentinels, and men hidden behind some rocks and bushes were trying to coax the dogs to pass into the camp. They were challenged and failed to reply. Ten of the sentinels opened fire.

A search was made by the guard, but the prowlers had managed to escape. A 32 caliber revolver of a cheap pattern was found with one chamber empty. Tonight extra precautions have been taken, and an interior and an exterior line of sentinels patrol the camp.

Attempt to Rescue Prisoners.

It is thought that the object of the striking foreigners was to create a commotion in the camp so as to facilitate the escape of William Montiugus and Michael Muscaene, charged with dynamiting the house of Anthony Sobolski. These men were turned over to the Eighteenth regiment by Col. Clement of the Twelfth infantry yesterday.

The sensation of the day in Shenandoah is the killing of William Durham shortly after midnight this morning by Private Arthur J. Wadsworth, Company A, Eighteenth infantry, while on outpost duty in Coal street.

The dead man was identified early this morning by his mother and sister. During the morning the mother, sister and brother-in-law of Durham called on Col. Rutledge in the camp. They told him they did not blame the picket, as he was only obeying his orders. They said Durham served as a soldier during the Spanish-American war in the Twenty-first regulars. He had served, they said, with his regiment in Cuba and received an honorable discharge.

Had Visited Twelfth Regiment.

An attack of fever affected his health somewhat. On Tuesday night he spent several hours with the Twelfth regiment guard, telling stories. At the request of the soldiers he had gone to his home and got his uniform and showed them how he would do guard duty.

Deputy Coroner John T. Lee, empaneled a jury. An inquest was to have been held this evening, but has been postponed until tomorrow evening, as Col. Rutledge refused to allow any of the guards to appear or give testimony on the case.

Deputy Coroner Lee said tonight that he would consult attorneys and see if he could not compel Col. Rutledge to produce the members of the outpost at the hearing tomorrow evening.

When the outpost was relieved this morning Lieut. Karns brought Mrs. Buckaleswick and her four children to the guard house and they were then sent to Burgess David Brown.

Durham is the first citizen killed by a soldier of the Pennsylvania national guard since the coal strike in this region in 1877. The killing of a number of coke workers at Mount Pleasant several years ago was done by guardsmen, but they were acting as sheriffs' deputies at the time.

Caring for Men's Health.

As a number of cases of typhoid fever developed in the Eighth regiment during its stay in Shenandoah Col. Rutledge will send samples of milk and water to Dr. Matson, bacteriologist of Pittsburgh, for examination.

Three belated members of Company M reported to Captain Carson today. One of the men came from Philadelphia, another with the Tenth infantry and the third with the Fourteenth regiment.

The patrol was increased an extra company tonight, and the outpost doubled. The patrol consists of Company H, Capt. J. A. J. Stout, Lieuts. W. A. Fink and J. K. M. Perrine. Company L, Capt. R. H. Shaffer and Lieuts. John T. Brown and Marshall Henderson.

Ex-Capt. Harry F. Davis of the Eighteenth infantry has been ordered to report to Col. Rutledge for duty as regimental quartermaster. Capt. Davis had been assigned to this duty before the regiment left Pittsburgh, but through an error his assignment was revoked from Harrisburg 20 minutes before the command left its home station. He will report to Col. Rutledge Friday morning.

The band of the Eighteenth regiment will arrive in camp Friday morning.

The entire Second brigade is now in the Shenandoah and Mahanoy valleys, and in control of the territory from Mahanoy City and Shenandoah on the east to Shamokin on the west, a stretch of nearly 30 miles. The last of the troops arrived late tonight, and the last to get in was the Sheridan troop, which came from the vicinity of Scranton.

BIBLE IN SCHOOLS FORBIDDEN BY LAW

LINCOLN, NEB., Oct. 9.—In an opinion handed down tonight the supreme court declares that the reading of the Bible, supplication to the diety and singing of sacred songs in the public schools of the state are prohibited by the constitution. All the justices concur.

WOODRUFF SHOWS SAMPLE BALLOTS

Explains to Quay's Committee His Proposed Election Reform Bill.

IT GETS LITTLE FAVOR

Sentiment of the Members Seems to Be That Present Act Should Be Simplified, But Not in the Way Suggested.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Public Ledger Building, PHILADELPHIA, PA., Oct. 9.

The ballot reform committee authorized by the Republican state committee and appointed by Chairman Quay, held an adjourned meeting at the Hotel Walton tonight. The committee has been instructed to frame a bill for submission at the coming session of the legislature which will simplify the exercise of suffrage, safeguard it from possible frauds and meet the demand of the people for an improvement upon the present blanket ballot.

Three of the five members of the committee were present tonight, Chairman William Hertzler of Juniata county, George T. Oliver of Allegheny and Homer Greene of Wayne. Attorney General John P. Elkin, a member, spoke tonight with Judge Pennypacker at Clearfield, and David H. Lane, the other member, could not be present by reason of other engagements.

Clinton Rogers Woodruff, chairman of the Union committee for the promotion of ballot reform, was the first speaker. He submitted a bill which is advocated by the organization he represents. He said it is in the form an amendment to the act of 1891 and provides for the grouping of the names of candidates under the titles of the offices for which they are nominated, and for the restriction of assistance to voters who cannot read or who are physically disqualified from marking their own ballots.

How Parties Are Designed.

He distributed sample ballots for the coming election printed under the provisions of his proposed bill. He pointed out that there was no circle, and that the names of candidates appear only once. Alongside of Judge Pennypacker's name are the party appellations, "Republican," "Citizens" and "Union," and alongside of ex-Gov. Pattison's name, "Democrat," "Ballot Reform" and "Union."

"The present ballot law," said Mr. Woodruff, "violates the constitutional provision providing secrecy, because you can tell by the length of time that the voter is in a booth whether he is voting a straight or cut ticket. The proposed bill provides for a fair and equal ballot. At the coming election the ballot will consist of 12 columns. Judge Pennypacker's name will appear in two or three columns; Gov. Pattison's name will appear in as many. Judge Arnold's name will be in four columns. The ballot is otherwise complicated, and it is difficult for the voter at times to pick out the candidates he wants to vote for.

"As to the assistance governing in the present law, the secrecy of the ballot is frequently violated, because it is easy for voters to have their votes supervised and controlled. I have records to show that one man marked as many as 150 ballots in one day. The proposed bill provides that no man shall be assisted who is not afflicted with blindness, palsy or some other physical disability that would make it impossible for him to mark his ballot."

The Question of Illiteracy.

"Would you consider illiteracy a disability?" asked Mr. Oliver.

"That would be a question that the law would have to decide," said Mr. Woodruff.

"This bill has been in force in Massachusetts for 10 years," he continued, "and there have been fewer mistakes under it than in any other state, because there is only one way to mark the ballot."

In reply to Mr. Greene, he said there was nothing to prevent a voter from marking his ballot from a sample ballot.

Mr. Greene asked how it could be determined whether or not parties cast enough votes to entitle them to nominate by certificates, where two or more parties have the same candidates.

Mr. Woodruff said that the present law providing for political columns, with a circle at the head, is responsible for the Citizens and Ballot Reform parties. If candidates are grouped under the title of the officers for which they are nominated, there would be no necessity for the organization of these ephemeral parties.

"The weakness of the ballot reform contention," said Mr. Oliver, "lies in the fact that it assumes that each individual citizen is going to vote for the best man. In a city like Philadelphia it is impossible for even a man of average intelligence to know whom he is voting for, personally.

Average Man Votes Straight.

"The average citizen wants to vote for his party candidate. The exceptions to that are in the minority party. Therefore, as far as allowing citizens to express their preference are concerned, the present system seems to be better than that which is proposed. At the same time, it is cumbersome and ought to be improved."

"What percentage of ballots are voted straight?" asked Mr. Greene.

"About 75 per cent," replied Mr. Woodruff. "But even if 75 per cent were straight ballots, the other 25 per cent ought to be offered an opportunity, under the constitution, to vote a cut ticket. A great many vote a straight ticket to avoid making making a mistake, and others because they are being watched."

"Then you believe that the other 25 per cent should be compelled to mark their tickets?" said Mr. Greene.

"I think every man should be placed on the same basis in the marking of his ballot."

Mr. Oliver said his experience of 30 years in politics compelled him to disagree with the statement that 75 per cent of the voters cut their tickets. It was his opinion that the average man is either a Republican or Democrat, votes his party ticket and leaves the polls satisfied that he has discharged his duty. He also thought the Woodruff ballot rather complex.

Opposed by Senator Focht.

Senator Focht, who introduced a ballot bill in the last legislature, with the candidates grouped the same as in Mr. Woodruff's bill, but with a series of circles for straight party voting, opposed the bill under discussion.

"The people want the party designation," he said, "and they must have it in this country. Men are not elected because they are Mr. Woodruff, Mr. Focht or Mr. Hertzler, but because they represent a party that has a platform, and because they want to support those principles."

He exhibited samples of ballots from about a dozen of states.

John H. Fow, Democrat, who was a member of the legislature when the Baker law was passed, said an official ballot destroys independent voting and is responsible for the increase of Republican majorities in Pennsylvania and Massachusetts. He advocated the old vest pocket ballot. He said the spoiled ballots at present averaged five to a division, or over 5,000 in Philadelphia at each election.

T. P. Ryndor of the Peoples party said Mr. Woodruff's bill would kill off independent movements.

The committee held on executive session and adjourned. A meeting will be held later, when it is expected that a bill will be formulated for submission to the Republican state committee for its approval.

Col. J. M. Guffey has notified the local Democratic organization of Philadelphia that he will be here tomorrow. The colonel is said to be much disturbed over local conditions, and is unable to account for the apathetic efforts of the Democratic lieutenants. He will try to infuse new life, but it will be impossible. The people here are all for Judge Pennypacker. CHESTER D. POTTER.

J. P. MORGAN BACKS MINE OPERATORS

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refused to be influenced by representations as to the effect that the strike might have upon the fortunes of one party or the other.

Shortly after the conference Gen. Thomas of the Erie had a long talk with J. P. Morgan, the nature of the conversation not being disclosed.

The operators present at the conference with the governor and senators were President Olyphant of the Delaware & Hudson, President Fowler of the Ontario & Western, President Truesdale of the Lackawanna, Chairman Thomas of the Erie, John Markle, representing the independent operators, and David Wilcox, vice president and general counsel of the Delaware & Hudson.

Mitchell in the Background.

Mr. Lauterbach said he had seen President Mitchell Wednesday night and that the strike leader seemed disposed to act in a spirit of fairness.

Although President Mitchell apparently had no part in the conference between the senators and the operators, his actions were anxiously awaited. Early in the day he was joined at the Ashland house by ex-State Senator Moses W. Salomon of Chicago. The Chicagoan has so far refused to disclose his mission, saying he was merely a "messenger." During the morning Mr. Mitchell had a long conference with his three district presidents. Afterward District President Nicolls had this to say:

"Unless the demands of the strikers are granted in full I do not see how President Mitchell can settle the strike without calling a convention. If only a part of the demands are granted that would render it necessary to call a convention and that would take two weeks at least."

Late in the afternoon President Mitchell and the district presidents had another conference at the Ashland house. Mr. Nicolls said his associates had not considered any formal or informal proposition from the operators. He said the strike might be settled by Monday, but intimated that it is improbable.

Men Who Called on Mitchell.

Oscar S. Straus, a member of the conciliation committee of the National Civic federation, called on President Mitchell late in the afternoon. On leaving, Mr. Straus said:

"President Mitchell wanted to see me, but the object of my visit I cannot make public."

Gen. B. F. Tracy, A. B. Boardman and D. H. Bacon, president of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Company, called on President Mitchell in the evening.

"We came to see President Mitchell," said Gen. Tracy, "on the bituminous situation in Alabama. We spoke of the strike of the employes of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Company. Mr. Mitchell received us well and heard our statement of the facts. We made a favorable impression, I think, and have hopes that the result of our interview will be favorable to us."

Late tonight there was a conference in the rooms of the Republican state committee between Gov. Odell, Chairman George W. Dunn of the state committee and Edward Lauterbach. Concerning this conference Gov. Odell would only indicate that the talk was along general lines. He said, however, that the approval of Mitchell had not been obtained to any suggestions of propositions for settling the strike. He added that if there was a renewal of the conference at Senator Platt's office he would likely take part in it.

Senator Penrose was about the hotel up to 11 o'clock tonight. He declined to be interviewed.

About this time Mr. Lauterbach and David Lamar drove up to the Ashland house and went in to see President Mitchell. They were taken up stairs to Mr. Mitchell's rooms, where they remained in conference about 20 minutes. Upon leaving, Mr. Lauterbach said:

"Things are progressing. That's all I can say at this time."

He and Mr. Lamar then drove away. President Mitchell would not be seen by reporters.

WANTS READING SUED.

F. H. Thompson Asks Attorney General Elkin to Begin Action on Constitutional Grounds.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Oct. 9.—Frank H. Thompson of this city today, through counsel, forwarded to Attorney General Elkin at Harrisburg a petition asking permission to use the name of the commonwealth in a suit against the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Company, to show cause why the company's charter should not be revoked.

The ground on which the suit is based is the alleged violation of the state constitution, Article XVII, section 5, which prohibits a carrying company from engaging in mining.

The petition charges that the Reading road has entered into an "unlawful combination to regulate and fix the price of coal," with the other so-called anthracite-carrying railroads.

LAST STRIKE, SAYS COXE.

Operator Declares Independence of Labor Will be Subdued Once and for All.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Col. Joseph Carson Coxe, a coal capitalist of this city, who owns $1,500,000 of stock in the coal mines of Pennsylvania affected by the strike, declared this afternoon that there would never be another strike.

"The backbone of the strike has been broken for several weeks," said Col. Coxe, "and it can have but one termination. That must be soon. There will never be another, in my opinion, and hereafter differences between miners and operators will be adjusted by compromise. Strikes do not result profitably and cause enormous loss. This is the worst and greatest fight against capital, and it will never be ended until capital has subdued completely the independence of labor. Labor cannot stand before the power of centralized capital."

"LADY STRONG" NOW.

May Yohe's Alleged Hubby About to Buy a Large Stock Farm.

BUENOS AYRES, Oct. 9.—(Copyright Cable.)—Putnam B. Strong and May Yohe are still living at the Grand hotel, where they are both registered under the name of Strong, May Yohe being known as "Lady Strong." There is no record that they have been married here.

They are about to purchase a large stock farm. This is an indication that Strong has decided to remain in Argentina.

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AGAIN THE GAZETTE SHOWS ITS HEELS TO ALL ITS COMPETITORS.

In giving its readers the first news of the shooting of an alleged dynamiter by a member of the Eighteenth regiment at Shenandoah yesterday, The Gazette again demonstrated its purpose to give the news in advance of all competitors. Two other Pittsburgh morning papers yesterday declared that everything was serene in the anthracite region, and the third was enterprising enough not to venture its edition on the street until The Gazette had been carefully scanned. The story of the shooting was quickly scissored out and dressed up under a New York date line, to give the impression that the item was a part of its legitimate property. One of The Gazette's contemporaries sent five correspondents with the local troops, and yesterday morning went on at great length, promising to give its readers the latest happenings from the scene of trouble. With this were printed several columns of much ado about nothing, illustrated with pictures taken at the National Guard camp at Gettysburg last summer. The "star" correspondent, in concluding his picturesque introduction to the lengthy story, summed up the situation with these words: "Perfect order reigns." At the same moment The Gazette was receiving the only real news item of the hour. Within a few minutes after the fatal shooting occurred a comprehensive account of it was wired to The Gazette office. The Gazette correspondents were alert, keeping an eye on the scene of possible trouble. The exclusive item yesterday is but an example that proves The Gazette's ability to get all the news that is news and to print it in advance of all competitors.

MITCHELL'S REFUSAL TO CALL OFF STRIKE

His Letter to Roosevelt Made Public at White House. Wright Summoned.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, 603 Fifteenth St., N. W., WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9.

No comment was made concerning the letter of Mr. Mitchell, refusing the president's overtures to stop the coal strike by officials at the White House, although it can be said that the president has not exhausted all efforts to bring an end to the struggle. The letter says:

Dear Sir—The Hon. Carroll D. Wright has, no doubt, reported to you the delivery of your message to me last Monday and my statement to him that I should take your suggestion under advisement, although I did not look upon it with favor. Since that time I have consulted with our district presidents, who concur fully in my views.

We desire to assure you again that we feel keenly the responsibility of the position and the gravity of the situation, and it would give us great pleasure to take any action which would bring this coal strike to an end in a manner that would safeguard the interests of our constituents.

In proposing that there be an immediate resumption of coal mining upon the conditions suggested in the conference at the White House we believed that we had gone more than half way and met your wishes. It is unnecessary in this letter to refer to the malicious assault made upon us in response to your kind overtures. We feel confident that you must have been impressed with the fairness of our proposition and in the insincerity of those who maligned us.

Having in mind our experience with the coal operators in the past we have no reason to feel any degree of confidence in their willingness to do us justice in the future; and, inasmuch as they have refused to accept the decision of a tribunal selected by you, and inasmuch as there is no law through which you could enforce the findings of the commission you suggest, we respectfully decline to advise our people to return to work simply upon the hope that the coal operators might be induced to comply with the recommendations of your commission.

We appreciate your solicitude for the people of the country, who are now and will be subjected to great suffering and inconvenience by a prolongation of this strike, and we feel that the most of this terrible state of affairs should be placed upon the side which has refused to defer to fair and impartial investigation.

Nothing can be learned as to the intentions of the president in this matter, and it is said that the time has not yet come to disclose the purpose of the administration.

For this morning, at least, the president set the question aside for another drive with Mrs. Roosevelt. His outing yesterday did him so much good that his physicians thought it would be a good idea for him to go out again today.

WORCESTER, MASS., Oct. 9.—Carroll D. Wright, United States commissioner of labor, left here for Washington this afternoon in response to an urgent message from the capital. It is understood that a telegram from the president was received yesterday, but Mr. Wright could not leave on account of his inauguration today to the presidency of the collegiate department of Clark university.

TUNNEL FRANCHISE IS AGAIN GRANTED

Pennsylvania Railroad Declines to Accept Any Radical Changes in Instrument.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—With the exception of a few minor changes, the franchise that was originally granted to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, permitting it to build a tunnel through this city, was again granted by the rapid transit commissioners at a meeting held today.

The franchise does not include any provision for an eight-hour workday. The board of aldermen are now to be reckoned with.

President Cassatt of the Pennsylvania railroad wrote to the commission, urging that the city decide the tunnel question as soon as possible. He said that the railroad company could not see its way clear to offer any different terms.

Mayor Low explained his vote, saying in part:

"The letter from the Pennsylvania Railroad Company makes it clear that the company will decline to accept the franchise if it contains any clause relating to the hours of labor, the prevailing rate of wages or an agreement as to arbitration. I have reason to believe that the company is entirely friendly to such method of settling any labor controversies that may arise in connection with this work as has been so effective and successful upon the rapid transit subway now being built for the city."

Ocean Intelligence.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
New York	Carthagenian	
New York	Menominee	
New York		Auguste Victoria.
New York		Frederick der Grosse.
New York		La Champagne.
Liverpool	Majestic	
Liverpool	Noordland	
Liverpool	Persian	
Liverpool	Saxonia	
Queenstown		Oceanic
Queenstown		Haverford.
Browhead	Georgic	
Glasgow	Anchoria	
Antwerp	Nederland	
Rotterdam		Ryndam.
Havre	La Savoie	

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Hotel Victoria lunch can't be beaten for 50c. A la carte meals at any time.

FAIR EXCURSIONISTS IN TRAIN COLLISION

One Dead and 23 Injured in a Railroad Wreck Near Waterbury, Conn.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WATERBURY, CONN., Oct. 9.—Two trains, one crowded to the doors with excursionists returning from the Danbury fair, were in a head-on collision at 7 o'clock tonight at Sandy Hook.

When news of the wreck reached Waterbury the city was thrown into consternation. Great crowds went from here to the Danbury fair this morning and as the train was filled with excursionists no one knew how his friends had fared.

Details of the accident are still meager, but one person, Mr. Quinlan of Naugatuck, is reported dead.

At Sandy Hook the westbound Danbury train was sidetracked so that the eastbound excursion train might pass. Some say a criminal blunder left an open switch; others that the excursion train jumped the switch and in some way tore it open.

There was a terrific crash when the trains met and from every direction assistance came. The car next to the engine on the excursion train suffered the most, being knocked into splinters, and its load of humanity was imprisoned in the wreck. It is reported that 23 people are injured.

BAER READY TO GIVE MINERS STEADY WORK

Priest Says His Men Are Not So Anxious For Increased Wages.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WILKESBARRE, PA., Oct. 9.—The Very Rev. P. C. Nagle, rector of St. Nicholas German Catholic church of this city, wrote as follows to President Baer of the Reading company a few days ago:

"Add to your fair propositions to the strikers the granting of full time, steady work, except by unavoidable accidents, and this promise will have a greater influence on the miners returning to work than all the soldiers or anything else. My miners do not complain about wages, but about losing too many days.

"If you can make this offer, the strike will be settled without delay."

Dr. Nagle received the following reply from Mr. Baer in today's mail:

"I am perfectly willing to promise the men full time and steady work, except when work is prevented by unavoidable accidents. I am quite sure the conditions are such that I can keep this promise.

"Will you kindly tell me how I can give this assurance to the men to make it most effective?"

SOLDIERS HIDE OUT.

New Orleans Militiamen Object to Going on Duty, as They Have Friends Among Strikers.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 9.—The street car strike situation in this city is becoming more grave every hour. There was no violence of any note today, but there was a feeling of impending trouble. Gov. Heard arrived tonight.

Out of 1,500 militiamen in the city at 6 o'clock tonight, 700 had reported at the armories. Many of the militiamen do not wish to go on this service and are hiding. They claim they have friends and relatives among the strikers. The Ewing rifles of the First regiment have asked to be mustered out as a body.

The New Orleans Railways Company made no attempt to run cars today.

BANKERS BUY EVERY SEAT.

Men Representing Billions Fill a New York Theater.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Men controlling billions of dollars gathered at the Casino tonight, with their wives and sweethearts, to laugh at the absurdities of "A Chinese Honeymoon." So much money, perhaps, was never before represented by an audience in a New York theater.

The entire house was sold out to the New York Bankers' association, and every seat was filled, men of many millions showing a willingness to climb to the balcony, to go away back and sit down in seats that they would have disdained under ordinary circumstances.

Colored Voters Hold Meetings.

Colored voters of the Citizens and machine had rival parades last night, preceding meetings. The Citizens met in Turner hall on Forbes street, and were addressed by Dr. W. D. Clinton, colored, and H. K. Porter, Attorneys J. J. Kintner, R. T. McElroy, S. G. Porter, Meredith Marshall and Thomas Leggett. Former Congressman G. H. White, colored, was to have addressed the machine gathering, but did not appear. Ajax Jones made the principal address. A. C. Robertson and James F. Burke also spoke.

Effort to Settle Steel Strike.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9.—The executive council of the American Federation of labor today selected Secretary Morrison as a representative of the federation to confer with all parties to the iron and steel strike at Lebanon, Pa., with a view to an adjustment of the strike.

Senator Allison Speaks.

MASON CITY, IA., Oct. 9.—Senator Allison spoke here tonight, inaugurating the Republican campaign. He was greeted by a large audience. He took occasion to indorse the president for what he has done toward ending the coal strike.

GUTHRIE'S STAND ON THE RIPPER

What Senator Muehlbronner Has to Say About a Disputed Question.

MANY MEETINGS HELD

All Over the County Voters Are Being Talked to by Orators Representing Citizens Party, Democrats and Organization.

State Senator Charles A. Muehlbronner contradicts the statement that George W. Guthrie, the Democratic candidate for lieutenant governor, did not support the "ripper" bill when it was up for passage in the legislature. In his speeches throughout the state Mr. Guthrie has been condemning the "ripper," and some of his friends say that he was, on principle, opposed to the measure. Senator Muehlbronner said yesterday that Mr. Guthrie was in Harrisburg a number of times in the interest of the bill, of which Senator Muehlbronner had charge. Mr. Muehlbronner also says that he received from Mr. Guthrie a telegram urging the passage of the law. It is true that Mr. Guthrie did not appear before any committee to advocate the bill, but he did, Mr. Muehlbronner says, personally urge him press the law to passage.

There were some Democrats who were opposed to the "ripper" features of the new charter bill, but Mr. Guthrie, the testimony shows, while he may, as he says, have been opposed to the measure on principle, nevertheless forgot the principle far enough to advocate privately that the new charter, "ripper" clauses and all, be adopted by the legislature.

Some Democrats Are Displeased.

Local Democrats who favored the bill are somewhat displeased with Mr. Guthrie's condemnation of the bill in his speeches, as they think his words are a reflection upon them. He is now being urged to let the "ripper" subject alone in future.

A big meeting of the Citizens party will be held in Kean's auditorium in Lawrenceville tonight. There will be a parade in which the ward organizations of the Twelfth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth wards will take part. Each organization will have a band. Hugh Ferguson will preside at the meeting. Another meeting will be held in the Brushton school house and other meetings will be held in the Masonic hall, Bellevue; in the Citizens' headquarters in Knoxville; in Allegheny, in the Third and Twelfth ward school houses, and in the Slavish hall in Ontario street.

Tomorrow night Citizens party mass meeting will be held in the Tarentum opera house; in McAbee hall, Perrysville avenue, Allegheny; at Webster avenue and Fulton street, Pittsburgh, the last to be an open-air meeting, and in the East street school, Fourteenth ward, Allegheny.

Three Democratic mass meetings are also scheduled for tonight: In the town hall, Sharpsburg; in White's hall, Carnegie, and in the V. M. P. hall, on Shaw avenue, McKeesport.

Other Democratic Meetings.

An advance schedule of Democratic mass meetings is as follows: Riverside public school, Thirty-fourth ward, Saturday evening, October 11; Sixth ward school, Allegheny, Tuesday, October 14; Franklin school, Thursday, October 16; Licht's hall, Fifth avenue, Sixth ward, Thursday, October 16; Kean's auditorium, Seventeenth ward, Friday, October 17; East Pittsburgh, Friday, October 17; Wickersham school, Saturday, October 18; Penn hall, Wilkinsburg, Saturday, October 18; Carnegie auditorium, Braddock, Saturday, October 18; Marquette hall, Hazelwood, Thursday, October 23, and Brushton school, Friday, October 24.

The Citizen-Democratic party of the Twelfth ward has opened headquarters at No. 2305 Penn avenue, with Martin J. Hunt in charge. The rooms have been handsomely fitted up and work will be carried on vigorously under the auspices of a campaign committee composed of some of the best citizens of the ward.

Eleventh ward Citizens party workers held a meeting in the Moorhead school last night; milliman from the Edgar Thomson steel works attended a meeting in the Carnegie auditorium, Braddock, and enthusiastic Citizens' meetings were held in the First and Eleventh wards, Allegheny.

There was quite a rush of applications for speakers at the Sixth avenue headquarters of the machine yesterday. Meetings are being arranged in all parts of the county. An organization mass meeting will be held tonight in Odd Fellows hall, South Eighteenth and Sarah streets. Twenty-sixth ward; speakers, George J. Churchill, Dr. A. J. Barchfeld, Archibald Mackrell and R. H. Jackson. Another meeting will be held tonight in the Martin public school building, Alleppo township. Still another meeting is announced for tonight in the Webster public school house, Plum township.

COAL STRIKE IN FRANCE IS SPREADING RAPIDLY

It Is Estimated That 120,000 Men Will Quit Work. Troops Guard Mines.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

PARIS, Oct. 9.—Information from the coal mining regions indicates that the strike is spreading rapidly. The strikers in the Pas de Calais district number 47,600 men.

The "yellows," as the anti-strikers are called, are preparing to offer resistance if attempts are made to prevent them from working. They are distributing pistols and cartridges and organizing night patrols. It is probable that, at the most, only 120,000 out of 162,000, the total number of coal miners in France, will join the strike.

Several minor disturbances have been reported. Strong bodies of gendarmes and troops are guarding the pits and patrolling the districts where attempts at violence are feared. Additional troops are constantly arriving and garrisons are kept in barracks and in readiness for a move at the shortest notice.

The lack of coal has already caused a number of iron works to close.

Irish Leaders to Tour America.

LONDON, Oct. 9.—John Redmond, chairman of the United Irish league, accompanied by John Dillon and Michael Davitt, today went to Liverpool, whence they sail for Boston to attend the national convention of the United Irish league. Redmond said Dillon and Davitt would tour the principal cities of the United States, in an appeal for funds to insure an efficient attendance of Nationalists in parliament.

Was Fatally Hurt.

Henry Hart of Bouquet street, McKees Rocks, was fatally injured last night at the crossing of the Pittsburgh, Connellsville & Youghiogheny railroad at Chartiers avenue, McKees Rocks. An engine struck him, fracturing his skull and breaking four ribs. He was taken to his home.

OLD UNIFORMS WANTED.

Federation of Labor Intends to Clothe Strikers So They Cannot Be Distinguished from Guards.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Veterans of the civil and Spanish-American wars and others having soldier's clothing are requested to send all such uniforms to President Lighthall of the Chicago Federation of Labor, to be shipped to the striking miners in the Pennsylvania anthracite coal fields. In explaining the appeals for such old clothing, Mr. Lighthall said this evening:

"We want to clothe as many of the striking miners as possible with uniforms so that they cannot be distinguished from the state militia. It will make it safer for the miners to get around and attend to their business without the interference they now encounter. We intend to open headquarters where clothing will be received."

FOUR MEN KILLED AND SIX WOUNDED

TRAGIC SEQUEL TO GIRL'S LOVE TALE.

Fiance Kept from Visiting Her and Feud Stirs Up Whole Town.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PINE BLUFF, ARK., Oct. 9.—At Eldorado, Ark., this afternoon a desperate feud fight ended in the death of four men and the wounding of half a dozen others.

As the result of a quarrel some weeks ago over Photographer Bob Mullin's refusal to permit his young woman assistant to receive her husband-elect at his photograph gallery, Mullins was killed by Constable H. L. Deering.

The killing caused much excitement and two factions sprung up, one side justifying the killing, the other condemning it.

Today the two factions met in the streets. Both sides were armed and shooting immediately began. Over 100 shots were fired and every person in the street except the combatants fled to shelter. The battle lasted but a few minutes, but each man fired as long as he had life in his body, ammunition and strength to load his guns.

When the smoke of battle cleared Tom and Walter Parnell, brothers, and Constable Deering and City Marshal Guy Tucker were dead, and Mat Parnell and City Physician Hilton were desperately wounded. The Parnell boys were devoted friends of Mullins. Deering, Tucker and Hilton fought together.

The Eldorado military company was called out soon after the battle. It is rumored that other killings occurred, but these reports cannot be verified.

President of Pine Bluff who witnessed the killing of Mullin says that Mullin's assistant was engaged to marry a young man from Texarkana. He called at the photograph gallery and was ejected by Mullin. Later the young woman went to her boarding house, where she met her fiance and they were married. The couple, fearing trouble with Mullin, sought the protection of the constable and city marshal, both of whom accompanied them out of town.

Later Constable Deering met Mullin on the street. Deering was armed with a shotgun. He and Mullin had an excited discussion, which ended in Mullin seizing the shotgun and jumping behind Marshal Tucker. Before he could use the gun, however, Deering had pulled a revolver and shot Mullin dead.

B. & O. GETS CONTROL OF READING STOCK

New Step Said to Have Been Taken in Community of Interest Plan.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—According to report from the east, control of the Reading railroad has been secured by the Baltimore & Ohio, which means that the Pennsylvania interests having won, the Goulds will not have the road to use as a link in their seaboard outlet. A battle for control of the Reading raged for several weeks between the Gould and the Pennsylvania interests and the situation grew so grave that J. P. Morgan was called in to act as arbitrator.

What was done by Mr. Morgan is known only to the insiders, but it is said that the Baltimore & Ohio control is the result of his labors in the interest of peace.

It would, therefore, not be surprising if the Baltimore & Ohio control of the Reading was coupled with an agreement on the part of the Pennsylvania to cease opposing the Gould plans in Pittsburgh and to permit them to have some other outlet to the seaboard.

The relations between the Reading and the Baltimore & Ohio will be similar to those sustained between the Pennsylvania and the Baltimore & Ohio. That means that competitive buying having been stopped, the Baltimore & Ohio will be the largest single owner of stock and therefore the most powerful factor in the company.

The object in turning the control of the Reading over to the Baltimore & Ohio is generally accepted to be in order to perfect the community-of-ownership scheme without conflicting with the Pennsylvania laws, which are very strict in prohibiting competing railroads in that state from owning stock in one another. Otherwise the Pennsylvania railroad would assume control itself.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 9.—(Special.)—A. J. Cassatt, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company; George F. Baer, president of the Reading, and L. F. Loree, president of the Baltimore & Ohio, were in secret conference for three hours this evening. As a result of the meeting, which probably referred to the Reading control, the rumor that the strike had been settled spread throughout the state, and came back to Philadelphia from many points on the Pennsylvania lines.

Are Opening New Mine.

Owing to the anthracite coal strike the New York & Cleveland Gas Coal Company is rushing work on its new mine above Turtle Creek. A large force of men are at work on day and night turn and it is expected that the company will have the mine, which will be known as No. 3, in operation by next week. The new mine will be equipped with electrical appliances throughout. With No. 3 in operation the company expects to mine 3,000 tons of coal per day. The new mine will employ about 350 men.

New Honors for Hearst.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—William R. Hearst and Max Ihnsen of New York, president and secretary respectively of the National Association of Democratic clubs, have been elected members of the executive committee of the Democratic congressional committee.

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ASK PRESIDENT TO START SUITS

The Detroit Coal Conference Makes Various Suggestions on Securing Coal.

ADVICE FOR GOV. STONE

He Is Urged to Call Extra Session of Legislature to Condemn and Operate Enough Mines to Relieve Distress.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Detroit, Oct. 9.—The 186 delegates representing 11 states, who attended the interstate conference on the coal situation here today, adopted resolutions tonight urging the president to institute civil proceedings looking to the enforcement of the interstate commerce act against the coal companies and criminal proceedings against their officers; petitioning the governor of Pennsylvania to call a special session of the legislature of that state to condemn all the coal-carrying roads and sufficient of the mines to supply the demands of the people.

Further, the resolution petitions the president to call a special session of the house of representatives and to recommend to them the appointment of a committee with full power to investigate the cause of the strike and to place the blame therefor.

A supplemental resolution, offered by Judge Frank E. Garvin of Indianapolis, also adopted, urges that the president at once institute proceedings to dissolve the present combination of the coal operators, and to have a receiver appointed to operate the mines. The supplemental report urges a special session of congress, if it is impossible at present for the president to take action.

The radical element, represented by Victor L. Berger of Milwaukee, wanted more radical resolutions; wanted them to declare for seizure and operation of the mines by the government and governmental ownership.

When the committee's report was made, Berger announced that he could not subscribe to it, and offered a minority report declaring "That pending the restoration of peace and order, the United States government seize the coal mines and operate them for the public convenience, and that we request the president of the United States to immediately convene in extra session the national congress for the purpose of enacting such legislation as will secure the public ownership and operation of such coal mines."

This report was supported by several speeches from the more radical delegates.

Ex-Senator W. C. P. Breckenridge of Kentucky, made the principal speech in favor of the majority resolutions. He contended that there was no possibility of doing what the minority resolution proposed.

When a vote was taken the minority resolution was overwhelmingly voted down. Judge Garvin's resolution was then offered and adopted as supplemental to the majority's resolutions.

Mayor Maybury was made chairman of a committee to forward the resolutions to President Roosevelt. The committee was also made permanent.

THE DAY'S HAPPENINGS.

—A special car will bring the Carlisle Indian band from Harrisburg to Pittsburgh on Saturday. It comes to play at the first meeting in the Bijou theater Sunday afternoon. It is open to the public.

—Mrs. Barnes, state superintendent of primary Sunday school work, will teach at the meeting of the Primary and Junior union on Saturday at 2:30 p. m. in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church, No. 4 Wood street.

—Thomas Johnston of Coal street, Mt. Washington, was committed to jail by Alderman Groetzinger on a charge of surety of the peace, made by his wife, Sarah Johnston. She claims he struck her on the head with a hatchet.

—Michael Collins of No. 37 Independence street, West End, a sweeper on the Point bridge, is at the Homeopathic hospital suffering from two broken ribs and other bruises as a result of being knocked down and kicked by a horse.

—Lemuel Patterson of No. 7305 Tioga street was held in $500 bail for court trial, on a charge of trying to pass worthless checks in a Frankstown avenue shoe store. When arrested he threw away a check for $10 and another for $5.80, on the Liberty National bank.

—Three new cases of smallpox were sent to the Municipal hospital yesterday. The patients are John Sherman, 3 years, of No. 2720 Grant boulevard; Elizabeth Keagy, aged 6 months, of No. 1227 Wylie avenue, and Nickola Vanovick, aged 30, of No. 124 Seventh street.

—George Winkerbetler of Plum township was held for court by Alderman Groetzinger on a charge of aggravated assault and battery. Paul Gray makes the information on behalf of Winkerbetler's wife, who, it is alleged, he severely injured by striking her on the head with a beer bottle.

—The police were requested by John W. Morris, a pension attorney of Washington, D. C., to locate John H. Borden, a veteran of the civil war from Company B, Third regiment, Pennsylvania provisional calvary. His last known address was No. 407 Liberty avenue, but at that number nothing was known of him.

DIED.

BRANNIGAN—On Thursday, October 9, 1902, at 10:30 p. m., NEAL, beloved husband of Julia Brannigan (nee Wellgare), at his residence, 321 Corry street, Allegheny.

Notice of funeral later.

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METHODISTS IN ANNUAL MEETING

Pittsburgh Conference Met Yesterday in the West End Church.

CONTEST FOR ELDERSHIP

Terms of Presiding Officers of Allegheny, McKeesport and Blairsville Districts Have Expired—Pastors to Be Changed.

Great interest was manifested at the three sessions of the 79th annual meeting of the Pittsburgh conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, held in the West End church yesterday. The meetings were presided over by the Rt. Rev. James N. Fitzgerald of St. Louis, the bishop of the conference for this year.

There was considerable discussion between meetings as to the probable successors to the three presiding elders, whose terms expire with the close of the conference.

As the chief interest in this conference is in the fact that the new elders are to be appointed, church politics played a small part in the meeting. Bishop Fitzgerald has the appointing power and as yet no intimation has come from him as to who will be chosen.

Those Who Retire.

The elders whose terms expire this year are the Rev. E. J. Knox of the Allegheny district, the Rev. W. P. Turner of the Blairsville district and the Rev. J. A. Ballantyne of the McKeesport district. They are not eligible to re-election at this conference. There is a strong sentiment throughout the ministry against the appointment of ex-elders, and although not certain, it is probable that none of this class will be named.

Among those prominently mentioned for the presiding elderships are the Rev. S. T. Mitchell of Johnstown, Pa., the Rev. R. C. Wolf of Beaver Falls, Pa., the Rev. J. B. Rick of Washington, Pa., the Rev. E. J. Loughrey of Uniontown, Pa., and the Rev. G. W. Terbush, pastor of the West End church.

There will be about 75 pastoral changes made at the end of the session. In these appointments the bishop's cabinet, composed of the presiding elders of the conference, has advisory power, although the bishop has the final say.

Samson's Liberal Offer.

It transpired during the day that the endowment fund for superannuated preachers and widows of preachers in this conference will now be a reality. Almost a week ago Hudson Samson, the undertaker, offered $45,000 for this fund on condition that an additional sum of $5,000 would be raised by yesterday. This sum has been obtained, and the entire amount, with the addition of a former small annuity, will be enough for this purpose. According to the secretary of the conference board of stewards, the Rev. W. B. Slease, there are 61 claimants for aid this year, and nearly all are needy.

Few of the 266 ministers in this conference were absent when the roll was called yesterday morning. In addition a number of distinguished visitors are attending the conference, so that the West End congregation is entertaining about 300 ministers. After the calling of the roll, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Secretary, N. P. Kerr; assistants, N. L. Brown, Appleton Bash, William Medley; treasurer, Joseph Horner; assistants, N. H. Sanner, P. C. Brooks, J. W. Hunter, J. K. Howe; statistical secretary, C. M. Miller; assistants, B. E. Wolf, W. B. Bergen, F. H. Callahan, W. P. Hostetter and J. C. Burke.

For Church Publications.

The Rev. Dr. W. V. Kelly, editor of the Methodist Review, was the first speaker at the morning session. He made a strong appeal for support of that magazine. Resolutions were passed on the sickness of Capt. J. B. Ford of Tarentum, and that of the Rev. J. A. Ballantyne, the presiding elder of the McKeesport district. On a motion by the Rev. T. N. Boyle, the Rev. J. J. McKeever was reappointed conference evangelist for the ensuing year.

The Rev. E. J. Knox, presiding elder of the Allegheny district, read his final report, in the course of which he spoke about park services on Sunday. In a general way he favored outdoor and street preaching, when properly conducted. The Rev. Homer Eaton, agent of a Methodist book concern, urged for exclusive use of Methodist publications in the Sunday schools and churches. The morning service closed with the annual memorial services.

The afternoon session opened at 2 o'clock with devotional exercises conducted by the Rev. E. J. Loughrey of Uniontown, Pa. The Rev. J. T. Pender, pastor of the First church of New Brighton, made the opening address.

Concluding Services.

The annual missionary sermon was then preached by the Rev. D. L. Johnson. Bishop Moore, recently returned from China, spoke entertainingly on his experiences while there.

The Pentecostal services which followed were conducted by the Rev. Dr. T. J. Leak, pastor of the Oakland church. This is a new departure in the conference and met with favor. The singing was conducted by William Peterman of McKeesport, and the entire conference joined in the service.

The evening session consisted of a stirring address on the Freedman's Aid and Southern Educational society, by its secretary, the Rev. W. P. Thirkfield. He dwelt largely upon the part that the Anglo-Saxon race had to play in the redemption of 10,000,000 negroes and 2,000,000 illiterate whites in the south.

The program for today is: 8:30 a. m., devotional service, led by the Rev. H. L. Chapman, D. D.; 9, conference session; 9:30, Laymen's association in the Presbyterian church; 2 p. m., anniversary of the Woman's Home Missionary society, address by Miss B. Orge; 4, Pentecostal service; 7:30, anniversary missionary society, address by the Rev. A. B. Leonard, D. D., corresponding secretary.

Among the delegations that visited the cabinet meeting held during the afternoon was one from the Bellevue congregation asking for the appointment of the Rev. T. J. Leak, pastor of the Oakland church, as pastor of the Bellevue church, to succeed the late Rev. M. M. Sweeney.

HURLED FROM TOP OF 90-FOOT STACK

ANTONIO NOVOSEL WAS CRUSHED INTO JELLY.

Accident at Isabella Furnace of American Steel and Wire Company.

Antonio Novosel was working with the repair gang on the top of the great 90-foot stack at the Isabella furnace of the American Steel and Wire Company yesterday afternoon. His fellow workmen far below watched the little group as they crawled around the big stack at their work. The great hoists were working carrying up material for repairing the furnace.

As Novosel stood erect, one of the hoist cars, loaded with sheeting, struck him and hurled him far off the stack into the air. The men below had to run to avoid his falling body, which was picked up crushed into a jelly from the awful fall.

Novosel was 19 years old and lived at No. 139 Butler street, Sharpsburg.

William Hill, 30 years old, married, of Lombard street, Allegheny, dropped dead from heart disease yesterday morning in front of No. 3349 Webster avenue. He was a foreman for a local contractor and died while on his way to work.

Joseph Adams, 48 years old of No. 3711 Bank street, died yesterday morning at the West Penn hospital from gangrene, as a result of having his hand crushed last Monday while moving casks in a brewery.

An unknown man was struck by a passenger train on the Allegheny Valley railroad at Twenty-eighth street last night and instantly killed. The man was walking along the tracks when the accident occurred. The only thing found in his pockets by which he may be identified were letters addressed to Lafferty & Miller, Pittsburgh. The writing was so defaced that the initials of either name was illegible.

Eliezer Srolovitz, a grocer, whose place of business is at No. 706 Wylie avenue, died suddenly yesterday. He was seized with bronchial hemorrhages. Samuel Srolovitz, the policeman, is the son of the deceased.

WRONG WAS RIGHTED BY GOVERNOR'S ORDER

Capt. Harry F. Davis' Services Were Recognized, After Facts Became Known.

Capt. Harry F. Davis, a former member of the state national guard, again has been ordered out. The order for him to report in the anthracite region was received in Pittsburgh about 11 o'clock last night.

When spoken to about the order last night, Capt. Davis said he had a telegram read to him over the telephone that he would be asked to go, but did not see the message.

Late last Monday night, when the order came from Gov. Stone calling out the entire guard, Col. Rutledge of the Eighteenth regiment, had Capt. Davis accept the position of quartermaster in the Eighteenth regiment.

About 3 o'clock Tuesday morning Capt. Davis was routed out and prepared to go to work at once to help Col. Rutledge prepare for the departure of the troops. As the regular quartermaster of the Eighteenth regiment was absent in the west, and Capt. Davis was experienced in the work of the department, his aid was invaluable to Col. Rutledge and the entire regiment.

After Capt. Davis had worked from before daylight until a short time before the regiment was ready to depart for the strike region, he was suddenly called off by a message from the headquarters at Harrisburg saying that Adjt.-Gen. Stewart would not permit Mr. Davis to serve as quartermaster.

Last night Capt. Davis at his home said he did not care to speak of the action of Adjt.-Gen. Stewart or anything connected with the matter. He said he would report for duty, if he received a definite order from Gov. Stone himself.

Sergt. Frank Panacella, bandmaster of the Eighteenth Regiment band, with his entire band, left at 6:30 o'clock last evening for the anthracite region to join his regiment. Sergt. Panacella had some difficulty collecting his men before the Eighteenth left the city Tuesday night, and the band was compelled to lay over here until all the members reported for duty.

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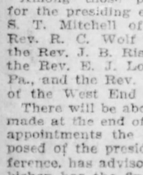

More weather like that which prevailed in Pittsburgh for the past two days is predicted for this section today and tomorrow by the Washington weather bureau. Yesterday the atmosphere warmed up considerably and by 2 o'clock in the afternoon the mercury reached a maximum of 70 degrees. This is several degrees higher than has been known in Pittsburgh for over a week. The minimum was 56 and occurred at 6 in the morning.

The Gazette weather service thermometers at Kaufmann's corner at the following hours yesterday registered:

12 noon	69 deg.	8 p. m.	56 deg
4 p. m.	69 deg.	12 midnight	50 deg.

Time of sunrise today ..... 6:05 a. m.
Time of sunset today ..... 5:20 p. m.

Local report for yesterday furnished by the United States weather bureau:

Time.	Bar.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.20	59	70	S. W.	Clear.
8 p. m.	30.31	56	66	N. E.	Clear.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for the past six years:

	1901	1900	1899	1898	1897	1896
Maximum	70	82	65	68	68	88
Minimum	56	56	50	50	50	34
Mean	65	83	58	59	56	46
Precipitation	T.	0	.66	0	0	0

Maximum temperature (2:30 p. m.) 70
Minimum temperature (5 a. m.) 55
Mean temperature 62
Normal temperature (for 31 years) 57
Excess in the temperature for the day 5
Deficiency in temperature since October 1 2
Deficiency in temperature since January 1 127
Normal precipitation (for 31 days) ..... .09
Precipitation for the day 0
Deficiency in precipitation for the day ..... .08
Excess in precipitation since October 1 ..... .33
Deficiency in precipitation since January 1 ..... 3.41

The Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia—Fair Friday; fresh northeast winds. Saturday fair.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Pittsburgh	56 Clear	Jacksonville	74 Clear
Columbus	52 Clear	St. Louis	70 Clear
Cairo	66 Clear	Kansas City	70 Clear
Cincinnati	58 Clear	Memphis	70 Clear
Chattanooga	68 Clear	Marquette	40 Clear
Louisville	68 Clear	St. Paul	50 Clear
Vicksburg	72 Pt Cldy	Helena	54 Cloudy
Parkersburg	60 Clear	Bismarck	52 Cloudy
Indianapolis	62 Clear	Huron	60 Clear
Des Moines	60 Clear	Grand Haven	44 Clear
Chicago	52 Clear	Norfolk	58 Clear
Washington	66 Clear	Rapid City	52 Pt Cldy
New York	66 Clear	North Platte	64 Clear
Philadelphia	58 Cloudy	Dodge City	64 Clear
Buffalo	44 Clear	Denver	54 Pt Cldy
Cleveland	48 Clear	Cheyenne	54 Clear
New Orleans	74 Cloudy	Salt Lake	66 Cloudy

MILLER PLANS AN INSPECTION

General Will Make Tour of Strike Region to Visit Camps of Guard.

AMMUNITION IS SEIZED

Two Men Arrested at Scranton When They Call for It—Little Work for Troops Scattered Throughout Region.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Harrisburg, Oct. 9.—Maj. Gen. Miller expects to make a tour of the camps of the state troops, unless the strike is speedily settled. The general returned tonight from Washington, where he has been attending the national encampment of the Grand Army. He expected to meet Gov. Stone tonight, but the executive had a social engagement and their meeting will take place tomorrow.

Gen. Miller may start from Harrisburg next Monday with his staff for the tour.

An order for 10,000 rounds of ammunition for the Thirteenth regiment was received today at the state arsenal.

TAMAQUA, PA., Oct. 9.—Brig.-Gen. Schall ordered two battalions of the Sixth regiment to patrol the streets of Lansford and Summit Hill tonight on account of reports that non-union men are being annoyed. The troops have orders to disperse all gatherings on the streets.

SCRANTON, PA., Oct. 9.—The Twelfth regiment, in command of Col. C. M. Clements, arrived here this morning and went into camp. The regiment will be reinforced tomorrow by a Gatling gun and a detachment from Battery C.

The Sheridan troop left the Thirteenth's camp at Olyphant this afternoon, having been relieved by the Governor's troop.

A detail of men from the Thirteenth regiment arrested S. Peselo and Anthony Both, foreigners, this morning at Olyphant station of the Delaware & Hudson railroad. The men called for a big box of ammunition consigned to Peselo.

The only new colliery in this region to be opened today was the Mount Lookout of the Temple Iron Company at Wyoming.

WILKESBARRE, PA., Oct. 9.—This entire comunity remains quiet and the troops had nothing more to do today than go through their daily routine. The remaining commands of the Third brigade arrived in the Lackawanna and Wyoming valleys and were stationed at various points by Brig.-Gen. Gobin.

HAZLETON, PA., Oct. 9.—The engine and one car of a Lehigh Valley coal train were derailed during the night a short distance from the Latimer colliery. The derailment was caused by a big stone which had been placed on the track. A detachment of Company I, First regiment, discovered other obstructions on the rails further east.

Wanted to Whip Lawyer.

A lively scene occurred last night before Alderman Means, when J. B. Sheets, plaintiff in a suit against John Hobson, drew off his coat, and, it is alleged, wanted to attack Attorney W. S. Maxey, who appeared for the defendant. In his appeal for Hobson the attorney declared that Sheets had sworn to two different statements in a claim. The plaintiff accused Attorney Maxey of using undue personalities and instantly stripped for action. Friends intervened and the enraged man was forced to take a seat while the lawyer continued his speech.

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THREE NEW YORKERS MYSTERIOUSLY SHOT

Husband and Wife in Hospital and the Man May Die. Third Party Dead.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, October 9.

A tragedy on the lower West Side this afternoon has resulted in the death of one man and another is lying in a critical condition in St. Vincent's hospital.

Hattie Adams was shot in a mysterious manner in West Broadway, near Chambers street, yesterday afternoon and was taken to St. Vincent's hospital. The person who was responsible for the shooting was not apprehended, nor was he known, and no report of the case was made to the police.

This afternoon Henry Brockstadt entered the home of the woman's husband, William Adams, and found Adams in bed. According to the story told by Adams' 12-year-old daughter, Mary, who was in the next room, Brockstadt said to Adams:

"Why did you shoot Hattie, Billy?"

"Don't you dare say that!" answered Adams, jumping from his bed.

Then the girl heard the two men struggling. Two shots rang out. She rushed in and found her father in a pool of blood. The girl rushed screaming from the house and notified a policeman. Adams was taken to St. Vincent's hospital in a critical condition. The patrolman went in search of Brockstadt. At his home he found the door locked, but, bursting it in, he found the man dead on the bed. Brockstadt had drunk carbolic acid and then shot himself in the temple.

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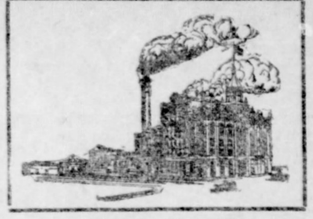

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Special All Day Today:
Boys' Suits--
Made of fine All-Wool Blue or Black and Fancy dark Cheviots—in Double-Breasted, Vestee and Norfolk styles—some with double cloth seat and knees—sizes 4 to 16—Suits well worth $4.00—(today only) at..... $2.48

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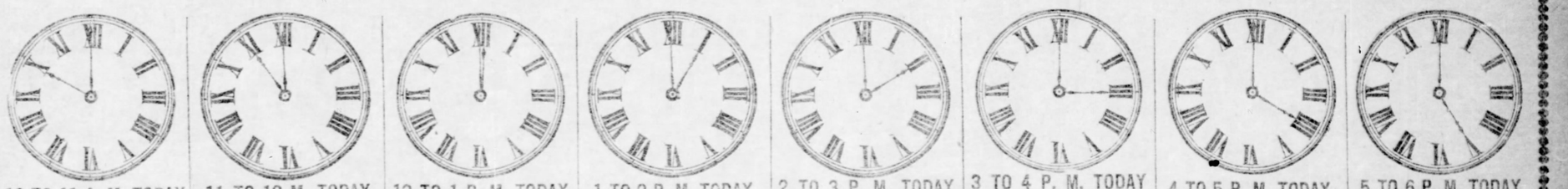

10 TO 11 A. M. TODAY

Dinner Plates, 5c
White Porcelain Dinner Plates—also Tea Cups and Saucers—worth $1.25 doz., at 5c. each.

$2.50 Worth Wall Paper, $1.13
10 bolts of Artistic Wall Paper, 6 bolts of Ceiling and 8 bolts of Blended 9-in. Border—in deep reds, blues and greens—also dainty chintz and stripe effects—worth $2.50, all for only $1.13.

Boys' $1.25 Shoes, 90c pair
Boys' and Youths' Solid Calf School Shoes—all sizes—worth $1.25, at 90c pair.

Cotton Blankets, 39c pair
Double Fleeced Cotton Blankets—soft and serviceable—at 39c pair.

Soap 7 cakes for 25c
Fairbank's Scouring Soap—large cakes—usually sold for 5c cake—now 7 cakes for 25c. (Grocery Dept.)

Women's 50c Belts, 10c each
Odd lot of Women's Belts—in Leather, Postillion, etc.—worth 25c to 50c, at 10c each. Belt Pins in new designs—sterling silver finish—at 10c each. Fine Bristle Tooth Brushes, at 10c each. Good Rubber Dressing Combs, at 10c each. (Notion Dept.)

Boys 40c Waists, 21c
Boys' strong Cheviot Shirt Waists — also Flannelette Shirt Waists—in striped or barred effects—excellent for Winter wear—worth 40c, at 21c.

$1 Silk Velvets, 59c yard
Silk Pile Velvets, for dresses, coats, jackets trimming, etc.—blue, black or jet black—worth $1.00, at 59c yd. Dress Corduroy in blue, brown, black, etc.—27 in. wide—at 69c yd.

$1.50 Door Mats, 75c
Cocoa Door Mats with double bound edges—extra brush—size 18x32 in.—also Manilla Rope Mats for porch and office use—worth $1.50, at 75c each.

20c Steel Knives, 10c
Good Steel Butcher or Bread Knives—worth 20c, at 10c.

$2.50 Swiss Curtains, $1
Dainty Ruffled Swiss Curtains—in plain, dotted or striped effects—plain or colored borders—worth up to $2.50, at $1.00 pair.

Boys' 25c Caps, 15c
Boys' and Children's all-Wool Golf Caps—in all the latest Fall patterns—lined with best Italian Serge—a splendid cap for school wear—worth 25c, at 15c.

$1 Spectacles, 21c
Fine Goldcine Straight or Riding-bow Spectacles — also Nose Glasses—fitted to your eyes with reliable lenses—worth $1.00, at 21c.

$1.50 Cook Book, 59c
The "White House" Cook Book, containing cooking and household recipes—also suggestions for table etiquette, care of the sick and the toilet—white enamel cloth binding—published to sell for $1.50, at 59c.

Women's $1 Shirt Waists, 39c
Women's neat Shirt Waists—made of heavy Flannelette or other heavy Wash Materials—in stripes or checks—dark or light patterns—new collar and sleeves—worth $1.00, at 39c.

Sateen Petticoats, 58c
Women's Mercerized Sateen Petticoats—also nice All-Wool Petticoats—at 59c.

Women's $1.25 Wrappers, 69c
Women's neat Wrappers—made of Calico—in black, blue or red—trimmed with braid—ruffle over shoulder—flounced skirt—worth $1.25, at 69c.

Waist Lengths, 39c each
Waist Lengths of fine Armure overlined with mercerized silk stripes—all the latest Fall shades—at 39c per length.

Men's 50c Pants, 25c
Men's well made heavy Blue Canvas Pants—also Sack Coats—worth 50c, at 25c.

11 TO 12 M. TODAY

Women's $3 Hats, $1.75
Very stylish Tailored Felts and Cabochon Trimmed Dress Hats—worth up to $3.00, at only $1.75.

$4 Worth Wall Paper, $1.98
10 bolts of High Art Wall Paper, 6 bolts of Ceiling and 8 bolts of Blended 18-in. Frieze—in heavy Gold and Embossed effects — deep, rich, artistic designs and colorings—worth $4.00, all for only $1.98.

Sheeting, 5c yard
36 and 40 in. Sheeting — Bleached or Unbleached — at 5c yd.

Girls' $1.25 Shoes, 90c pair
Girls' Box Calf and Kid Lace Shoes—spring heels — sizes 11 to 2—worth $1.25, at only 90c pair.

10c Soap, 7c cake
"K" brand White Floating Soap—extra fine quality—thoroughly seasoned — extra large cakes—usually sold for 10c, now at 7c. (Grocery Dept.)

20c Tea Pots, 10c
Granite steel enameled Tea Pots—worth 20c, at 10c.

Cushion Tops, 19c
Lot of Cushion Tops for 22 or 24 in. square Cushions — in Tapestry or Sateen—various designs and subjects—worth up to 75c, at 19c. (Drapery Dept.)

40c Bread Trays, 25c
Nickel Plated Bread Trays—beautifully engraved—worth 40c, at 25c.

Children's 60c Sweaters, 35c
Children's All-Wool Novelty Sweaters—all colors—all sizes—worth 60c, at 35c. Boys' All-Wool Sweaters—worth 85c, at 49c.

Turn-Over Collars, 25c
Hand drawn and Hemstitched Turn-Over Collars—also fine hand-made Renaissance Turn-Over Top Collars—at 25c. Velvet Bishop Stocks with Embroidered Dots—at 25c. White Lace Neck Scarfs—worth 75c, at 25c.

Boys' $3 Overcoats, $1.59
Boys' long cut Oxford Overcoats—also odd lot of medium weights and overcoats in blue or grey Long and Short Box Coats and Reefers—sizes 3 to 16—worth $3, at $1.59.

$1 Bead Side Bags, 42c
Women's or Misses' fine cut Steel Bead Side Bags with Chamois lining—inside pocket—fancy frame—worth $1.00, at 42c.

Boys' $4 Suits, $2.35
Boys' All-Wool Scotch Cheviot and plain blue or black Thibet Double Breasted, Knee Pant and Vest Suits—also fine Serge Sailor Suits, in all shades—sizes 3 to 16—worth $4, at $2.35.

50c Water Sets, 25c
Crystal Glass Water Sets, consisting of large Jug, 6 Tumblers and Tray—worth 50c, at 25c set.

Women's 35c Aprons, 15c
Women's White Lawn Aprons—in a dozen pretty styles—lace or embroidery trimmed—large or small size—worth 25c and 35c, at 15c.

60c Grass Mattings, 25c yd
Extra heavy twist chain Grass Mattings—very warm and durable for Kitchen, Porch or Office—3 and 6 ft. wide—worth 60c, at 25c yd. Short Remnants—at 15c yd.

Women's $8 Jackets, $5
Women's medium or light weight Jackets — made of Cheviot, Kersey Cloth or English Covert—every seam strapped and heavily stitched—lined with Taffeta—worth $8, at $5.

Babies' $2 Cloaks, $1.29
Babies' Short and Long Bedford Cord or Cashmere Cloaks—made with heavy Flannel effects—worth up to $3, at $1.29.

56-in. Suiting, 89c yard
Scotch Bannockburn Suiting—in various combinations of rich colorings—56 in. wide—worth $1.50 to $1.75, at 89c yd.

12 TO 1 P. M. TODAY

80 Rugs, $2.75
Splendid Smyrna or Axminster Rugs—in beautiful floral or set designs and medallion centers—size 36x72 in.—worth up to $5, at $2.75.

45c Varnished Tiles, 10c
Choice from a large assortment of splendid quality highly glazed Varnished Tiles for Bathrooms or Kitchens—worth 45c, at 10c.

Men's $2 Pants, 79c
Men's good fast color Black or Blue Cheviot and fancy Striped Worsted Pants—worth $1.50 and $2, at 79c pair.

20c Crackers, 10c pound
"5 o'clock Tea" Biscuits—excellent quality—also Assorted Marshmallows—usually sold for 20c, now 10c lb.

Children's $1 Shoes, 59c pair
Children's Kid Lace Shoes—spring heels—sizes 5 to 8—worth $1.00, at 59c pair.

Domestics, 5c yard
Wash Goods Prints and Outing Flannels—nice quality—also fancy Robe Prints for Comforts—at 5c yd.

25c Box Files, 15c
Good strong indexed Box Files for home or office use—worth 25c, at 15c. (Stationery Dept.)

Men's $2 Hats, 95c
Men's new Fall style Stiff and Soft Hats—in all the new Telescope and Creased Panama wide brim effects—Black or Pearl with Bands to match—several heights of crown and widths of brim—worth $2, at 95c.

$4 Knives and Forks, $2.75 set
Rogers and Hamilton's extra heavy Silver plated Knives and Forks—6 of each in set—worth $4.00, at $2.75 set.

Fire Screens, 59c
Oak, Mahogany or Enamel Fancy Fire Screens with Panels or filled with Silkoline—worth up to $1.50, at 59c each. (Drapery Dept.)

Youths' $5 Suits, $2.50
Odd lot of Young Men's Blue, Black or Fancy Cheviot Suits—also medium weight Tan or Oxford Box Overcoats—sizes 15 to 20 years—worth $5.00—at $2.50.

Torchon Lace, 10c yard
Pure Linen Torchon Laces, at 10c. yd. Fine Cambric Embroideries with fast edges and wide insertions, at 10c yd. Embroidered Bands—slightly soiled—worth 25c, at 10c yd. Women's Sheer Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, at 10c each.

Men's 75c Underwear, 33c
Men's tan and white mottled or striped medium weight Camel's-hair Undershirts and Drawers—all sizes—worth 75c, at only 33c.

Beer Steins and Novelties, 10c
Odds and ends of the Van Tine stock of Beer Steins, Pin Trays, Match Holders, Plates, etc.—worth up to 40c, at 10c each.

Lunch Cloths, 75c
Beautiful Hand-made Renaissance Lunch Cloths, at 75c. Art Depot Fine Venise Lace Collars for wear over Jackets, at 75c. Fine All-Over Lace—in White or Butter color—at 75c yd.

Men's $2.50 Umbrellas, $1.15
Men's Imported Taffeta Umbrellas with case to match—close rolling—fine Imported Natural Wood handle—worth $2.50, at $1.15.

27-in. Guaranteed Taffeta, 75c yard
Lustrous Black Taffeta—guarantee-to-wear woven on selvage—27 in. wide—worth $1.00, at 75c yd.

Girls' $2 Dresses, 91c
Girls' fine Plaid or Checked Dresses for school wear—nicely trimmed with braid or plain material to match—extra wide skirt with deep hem—worth $2, at 91c.

Women's 75c Corsets, 35c
Odd lot of Women's Jean and Sateen Corsets—in white, drab or blue—long, short or medium length—worth 50c to 75c, at 35c pair.

1 TO 2 P. M. TODAY

Women's $10 Coats, $5
Women's medium weight Long Coats or heavy weight ¾ Coats—made of fine Cheviot or Broadcloth — also Rainy Day Coats, made of waterproof materials—worth $10, at $5.

Women's 75c Slippers, 39c pair
Women's 3 Point House Slippers—worth 75c, at 39c pair.

25c Cotton Damask, 17c yd.
Bleached Cotton Damask—choice patterns—worth 25c, at 17c yd.

$3.50 Worth Wall Paper, $2.59
10 bolts of elegant Heavy Gold or Embossed Wall Paper, 8 bolts of Ceiling and 3 bolts of Blended 18 in. Frieze—in deep reds, blues, greens and browns—also beautiful Tapestry effects—worth $5.50, all for only $2.59.

40c Chocolate Drops, 25c pound
Old Fashioned Vanilla Cream Chocolate Drops—strictly fresh—usually sold for 40c—at 25c lb. (Candy Dept., 4th floor.)

Boys' $1 Knee Pants, 37c
Boys' All-Wool Knee Pants—made of fine mixed Scotch Cheviot, Cassimere and Corduroy — will give excellent service—sizes 3 to 16—worth 75c to $1.00, at 37c.

Chiffon Veils, 59c
Hemstitched Chiffon Veils—1¼ yards long—worth at 50c. Hand-made Arabian Lace Collars, designed to wear over jacket and coats—at 59c. White Japanese Silk Ties with Renaissance Ends, at 59c. Fine Venise Lace All-Overs, at 59c yd.

Men's 25c Neckwear, 10c
Men's Four-in-hand Ties—made of Barathea Silk—in polka dots and figures—also Swell Silk Shield Bows, Bat Wing and String Ties—worth 25c, at 10c.

Gas Lamps, 19c
Brilliant "Incondescent" Gas Gallery Lamps, complete with burner, mantel and globe—at 19c.

25c Lace Remnants, 15c yd.
Remnants of fine Point Venise, Cluny and Arab Top Laces—worth 25c, at 15c yd. Black Chiffon Veiling, at 15c yd. Tapestry Pillow Tops—in various designs and colorings—at 15c each. (Art Dept.)

Men's 25c Half Hose, 11c pair
Men's extra strong Half Hose—made of Natural Wool, Camel's Hair or Merino—worth 25c, at 11c pair.

10c Wall Paper Cleaner, 5c
"Jewel" Wall Paper Cleaner—worth 10c, at 5c box.

Men's $6 Mackintoshes, $3
Men's All-Wool Mackintoshes—made of Blue or Black All-Wool Cheviot and Tan Covert Cloth—in Double-Breasted Box style — full length—all sizes—worth $6, at $3.

25c Drapery Stuffs, 9c yard
Fine quality Cretonnes, Art Tickings, Sateens and Silkolines—in large variety of colors—36 in. wide—worth 15c, 18c and 25c, at 9c yd. (Drapery Dept.)

Women's $1 Waists, 35c
Women's Flannel or Albatross Waists—in light or dark colors—tucked or pleated effects—worth $1.00, at 35c.

35c Straw Mattings, 18c
Remnants of extra heavy Chinese and Japanese Straw Mattings—closely woven on linen warp or jute—in fine checks or broken figures—red, blue or green colorings—worth up to 35c, at 18c yd.

Women's Ribbed Vests, 23c
Women's heavy Ribbed Vests—fleece lined—high neck and long sleeves—Pants to match—all sizes—at 23c.

$1.50 Silk Velvets, 65c yard
Silk Velvets for waists, dress trimmings and millinery purposes—in all the most popular shades—worth $1.50, at 65c yd. (Millinery Dept.)

$1 Dress Goods, 59c yard
All-Wool Basket Cheviot and Hop-sacking Suiting—in black only—44 in. wide—worth $1, at 59c yd.

2 TO 3 P. M. TODAY

Boys' 50c Underwear, 21c
Boys' fine derby Ribbed Fleece Lined Camel's Hair Underwear—very strong and durable—worth 50c, at 21c.

Women's $2 Shoes, $1.25
Women's neat Box Calf Lace Shoes—double soles — worth $2.00, at $1.25 pair.

"Eclipse" Flannel, 8 1-3c yard
36-in. Printed "Eclipse" Flannel—also Printed Wrapper Flannel—worth 12½c and 15c, at 8 1-3c yd.

$3.50 Worth Wall Paper, $1.48
10 bolts of Artistic Wall Paper, 6 bolts of Ceiling and 3 bolts of Blended 18-in. Border—in deep reds, blues, greens, etc.—worth $3.50, all for only $1.48.

Teas, 3 pounds for 90c
Our famous No. 4 quality Formosa Oolong, English Breakfast, Young Hyson, Japan and Ceylon Teas—sold elsewhere for 50c, here at 35c lb., or 3 lbs. for 90c.

Jerome Bannerettes, 5c
Illuminated Cards designed by Irene Jerome, including Rest Banner, Joy Banner, Every Day Banner, etc.—published to sell for 50c, at 5c.

Men's $1 Sweaters, 69c
Men's nice All-Wool Sweaters—plain colors with striped double neck—worth $1.00, at 69c. Men's fine All-Wool Jerseys—worth $2.00, at 69c.

Boys' $6 Clothing, $3.25
Boys' splendid Novelty Sailor, Sailor Collar Norfolk, 3-Piece Double-Breasted and Norfolk Suits—also very fine Overcoats and Reefers—sizes 3 to 16—worth $5.00 and $6.00, at $3.25.

Women's Hose Supporters, 25c
Fine Military Hose Supporters—with large front pad—all colors—at 25c pair. Black Silk Postillion Belts—at 25c. Bristle Hair Brushes and Bevel Plate Hand Mirrors—worth 50c, at 25c. (Notion Dept.)

75c Ping-Pong, 45c set
350 sets of Ping Pong or Table Tennis—good Vellum Receptacle—worth 75c, at 45c. (Toy Dept., 5th floor.)

$2 Busts, 75c
Richly decorated Terra Cotta busts—Oriental colors—worth up to $2.00, at 75c.

Boys' 75c Hats, 37c
Boys' and Children's very latest wide brim Soft Hats and Tam O'Shanters—also All-Wool Cloth Golf and Yacht Caps—silk or satin lined—worth 75c, at 37c.

Scissors or Shears, 10c
1,000 pairs highly Nickel Plated Scissors and Shears—at 10c each.

24-in. Velutina, 68½c yard
Genuine 24-in. Velutina and 24-in. Velveteens for costumes, waists, trimmings, etc.—always sold for 75c and $1.00, at 68½c yd.

65c Linoleum, 44c sq. yd.
Heavy Cork Linoleum with heavy enameled back, in mottled, broken or set figures—worth up to 65c, at 44c sq. yd.

86 Silk Waists, 83
Women's sample line of stylish Silk Shirt Waists—made of Peau de Sole, Louisine and Crepe de Chine—all colors—tucked, pleated, corded or unstitched—worth $6.00, at $3.00.

Women's Gowns, 35c
Women's good heavy Flannelette Gowns—also Umbrella Skirts and Drawers—lace or embroidery trimmed—at 35c.

Women's $4 Jackets, $1.85
Women's Moire Silk or Covert Cloth Jackets—in brown or blue—medium weight, just right for present wear—fly-front or regular Jacket effect—lined throughout—worth $4.00, at $1.85.

$5 Odd Portieres, at $1.25
Odd Portieres and manufacturers' sample strips of extra fine Tapestry Portieres—fringed top and bottom—two-toned or solid color effects—worth up to $10.00 pair, at $2.00 and $1.25 each.

3 TO 4 P. M. TODAY

Youths' $10 Dress Suits, $5
Young Men's Blue and Black Clay Worsted, Rough Diagonal Cheviot, plain Black Thibet and fancy Cheviot Suits—splendidly made and finished—serge lined—sizes 14 to 20—worth $10.00, at $5.00.

15c Crackers, 7c pound
Golden Wafers, Ginger Nuts, Iced Honey Jumbles and Floral Wafers—worth 12c and 15c, at 7c lb.

Little Gents' $1 Shoes, 75c
Strongly made of solid Calf—lace or button—spring heels—worth $1.00, at 75c pair.

Blankets, 88c pair
Good warm Blankets—at 88c a pair. Fine Red Comforts—at 88c each.

$7.50 Worth Wall Paper, $3.87
10 bolts of very fine Wall Paper, 6 bolts of Ceiling and 3 bolts of Blended 18 in. Frieze—in beautiful parlor, hall, library and dining-room effects—worth $7.50, all for only $3.87.

75c Beef, Iron and Wine, 29c
Liebig's Beef, Iron and Wine—the best tonic made—full pint bottles, at only 29c.

50c Brass Candlesticks, 25c
Polished Brass Candlesticks, complete with fancy shade, candle and holder—worth 50c, at 25c.

Women's $1 Gloves, 55c
Women's new 2-clasp Imported Kid Gloves—in all the latest colors and stitching—all sizes—worth $1.00, at 55c pair.

Drop Ornaments, 25c
Pretty Black Silk Drop Ornaments—at 25c. Fine

NEXT GOVERNOR IN CLEARFIELD

All Quarters of the County Turn Out to Hear Republican Doctrines.

LESSON OF PROSPERITY

Judge Pennypacker Refers to His Competitor as "The Prelude to a Tragedy, a Preface to a Book of Disasters."

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Clearfield, Pa., Oct. 9.—Gubernatorial Candidate Pennypacker, accompanied by Attorney General Elkin, met the sturdy workmen of Clearfield county tonight and received a welcome that any candidate might well feel proud of. A big reception at the hotel and a great meeting at the opera house has made this one of the most satisfactory receptions of the campaign.

Special trains brought in crowds from Grampian on the south, DuBois on the west, Morrisdale on the north and Phillipsburg on the east.

The gubernatorial party was met at Tyrone by State Treasurer Frank G. Harris and County Committeeman T. L. Snyder. At Phillipsburg the citizens turned out in force at the railroad station to see the candidate, and a large delegation from the county committee boarded the train and escorted the party to Clearfield. In the delegation were County Chairman B. F. Chase, A. E. Patton, Harry Bolton, Fred Schofield, S. R. Hamilton, C. R. Rowles, Oscar Mitchell, Frank Wellver, A. C. Walther, F. S. Tomlinson, J. A. Dillon, W. B. Holmes, Leslie Stuart, John M. Chase, M. Y. Bowman, Abe Trimble, H. Y. Devinney, J. M. Hewitt, Dr. J. Currier, M. L. McQuown, W. Y. Dehass, Hugh McCullough, Harry Law and Richard M. Hunt.

Greeted by School Children.

As the train drew into Clearfield the station was besieged by an army of school children, all eager to shake hands with the next governor. Shouts and cheers emphasized the cordial welcome, and the grown-up people vied with the children in making the candidate feel at home. Pretty much the whole town was at the station to receive Judge Pennypacker, except ex-Congressman James Kerr and the five disappointed officeseekers who call themselves the Union party.

The crowd followed the party to the hotel, where there was a reception before the meeting, at which the candidate met a host of Republican voters and a few Democrats.

The meeting in the opera house tonight was a fine gathering of representative citizens, and was preceded by a pyrotechnic display. D. W. McCurdy presided at the meeting, and among others who occupied places on the platform were Judge Cyrus Gordon, S. R. Dresser, the hustling little candidate for congress in the Clearfield-Center-Cameron-McKean district, and a large body of vice presidents.

Ex-Judge Pennypacker won emphatic approval by depicting the prosperity that followed the restoration of Republican power, and compared it with the business depression which followed Cleveland's election in 1892.

A Prelude and a Preface.

"Mr. Pattison is the prelude to a tragedy," said the speaker. "A preface to a book of disaster."

The Republican party, he urged, always had been the friend of labor, and the upholder of the manhood of the laborer, and the upholding of the doctrines of the Republican party had been the maintenance of the industries of the country.

In conclusion, he handled without gloves the misleading statements and non-specific charges of Candidate Pattison. He thought Mr. Pattison would not be governor, because no man deserves to be governor of a state who is lacking in a belief in the integrity of its people, or who for some personal advantage to himself would soil the good name and fame of this grand old commonwealth.

Attorney General Elkin was generously applauded as he urged that every Republican should now, of all times, support the Republican ticket and cast a solid vote for every candidate on it. He showed how the Republican party had been the cause of the great prosperity of the thriving town of Clearfield, and thought that every Republican should stand by the colors, and by the great principles that had placed this country in the van in the march of nations, and made its people the happiest on the face of the earth. Referring to the charges by the Pattison boomers, he said:

Elkin Good at Repartee.

"The credit of the state of Pennsylvania today is better than ever before in its history and second to none in the whole country."

"How about our trusts?" asked a voice in the audience.

The speaker promptly replied: "In Democratic administrations we had no trusts, except that you had to get at the store. Neither had we any strikes. There was no work to strike over."

The meeting closed with addresses by State Treasurer Harris, Congressional Candidate S. R. Dresser and State Senatorial Candidate A. E. Patton. The party will leave here tomorrow morning for West Chester, Chester county, where the candidates will speak tomorrow night.

INSTALLED OFFICERS.

Allegheny County Christian Endeavor Union Held Big Meeting in Bellefield Last Night.

The public installation of the newly elected officers of the Allegheny County Christian Endeavor union took place last night in the Bellefield Presbyterian church, Fifth and Bellefield avenues, before a large congregation. John H. Bollen, the retiring president of the union, presided during the exercises. The installation was conducted by the Rev. Dr. Lemuel Call Barnes of the Fourth Avenue Baptist church, who also made the principal address of the evening.

Dr. Barnes' address was on "Individual Responsibility." Addresses were also made by John H. Moore and John C. Peed.

The new officers are: President, John H. Moore; vice president, Albert J. Boon; corresponding secretary, Miss Margaret G. King; recording secretary, Miss Gertrude Zimmerman; treasurer, W. A. Barton; junior superintendent, Miss Mary Bradley; intermediate superintendent, Miss Edna Richter. President-Moore, before the meeting adjourned, appointed the following special secretaries: Lookout, C. L. Stiener; social, O. H. Jones; correspondence, Miss Sue J. Thompson; missionary, Miss Nan L. Hunter; progress, Miss Mary H. Thompson; evangelistic, C. L. Kelly.

It often baffles even the wise physician to detect the cause of failing health and strength. In the great majority of cases, it is due to the presence of worms; and where these exist Dr. D. Jayne's Tonic Vermifuge will always effect a cure.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

News of Nearby Towns and Country

MRS. CHARLES FAIRBANKS SPEAKS AT BELLEFONTE

Says Object of the D. A. R. Is Not to Foster an Aristocracy.

BELLEFONTE, PA., Oct. 9.—One of the principal features of today's session of the Pennsylvania Daughters of the American Revolution was the address of Mrs. Charles Fairbanks, president general of the organization. Mrs. Fairbanks said she was in favor of state organization; that the object of the order was not to foster aristocracy but to teach the rising generation true Americanism. The speaker was loudly applauded.

This afternoon Mrs. Enoch Stanford of Conshocken was re-elected state treasurer and Miss Crowell of Oak Lane conference secretary.

The Daughters want no more junketing about of the Liberty Bell. A resolution from the Chester county chapter presented to the conference today, calling upon the Philadelphia municipal authorities to hereafter forbid its removal for any reason at all, passed unanimously.

Mrs. Ammon of Pittsburgh wanted the Daughters to make a suitable gift to the cruiser Pennsylvania, the Pittsburgh chapter offering $100, but the resolution was tabled.

Mrs. James B. Mellon of Pittsburgh made an address on the memorial Continental hall, and Independence Hall chapter of Philadelphia pledged $150 toward the fund this afternoon. Tonight a reception was given the Daughters by ex-Gov. and Mrs. D. H. Hastings.

POLICE WERE MISTAKEN.

New Castle Officers Arrested a Woman They Supposed Was Carrie Nation.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—The police here today believed for a time that they had Carrie Nation behind the bars in the person of a woman arrested for creating a disturbance at the "Pat Boyle" saloon. Word of the arrest quickly spread and created excitement. However, the prisoner turned out to be Miss Ellen Eldred of Lawrence, N. Y., who spent yesterday delivering street temperance lectures and passing tracts in the saloons.

She went into the Boyle saloon in the afternoon and was ordered out, but returned in the evening. When she put in an appearance the police were summoned and she was arrested and spent the night in a cell. This morning Mayor Jackson discharged her with the injunction not to visit local saloons again.

She says she preceded Mrs. Nation in the temperance work by 24 years, and was made a member of the Wheeling Women's Christian Temperance union, after being arrested there. She is going to Youngstown.

COUPLE RECONCILED IN COURT.

Judge Pennypacker's Successor in the Role of Peacemaker.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Judge Barratt, successor to Judge Pennypacker, in disposing of his first habeas corpus cases today, exercised the precept, "Forgive and forget," and effected a reconciliation between William Dages and his wife, Mary Dages, who were battling for the custody of their 4-year-old son. The couple have three children, and both showed a willingness to act on Judge Barratt's suggestion, although Dages was doubtful whether his wife would not again display what he termed "unfounded jealousy."

Mrs. Dages, tearfully hugged her child and remained mute, while Judge Barratt, in a kindly way, explained to the husband that it was best not to recall old scores, and to take his wife back and start anew. Husband and wife shook hands and left together, although their boy persistently clung to his mother.

BUETTNER IS DEAD.

Victim of Hallucination That He Had Swallowed His False Teeth.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 9.—Frank Buettner died early today as the result of the operation to remove a set of false teeth which it was supposed he had swallowed while asleep Monday night.

An X-ray machine used on Buettner, the surgeons declared, showed the teeth in the oesophagus. The missing teeth were found in Buettner's bed.

Maj. Brown Expects to Take Stump.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Maj. Isaac B. Brown, Republican nominee for secretary of internal affairs, who has been too ill to do any speechmaking, said today that he expected to take the stump toward the close of the campaign. Brown's physician has forbidden him, but the major hopes to get in at least one speech, if his present rate of improvement continues.

TELEGRAM WAS TICKET.

Sixteenth's Belated Men Got Through On Novel Pass.

A squad of belated soldiers of Company M, of the Sixteenth regiment, last night traveled from Grove City to Harrisburg on what was perhaps the most unique ticket that has ever been honored on the Pennsylvania railroad. Two corporals and six privates of the Grove City guardsmen received a telegram from their captain to take the first train to the anthracite regions and to use the telegram as identification in transportation.

The soldiers hurried to the station and took their seats in a coach on the Pittsburgh train. The conductor, after much hesitation, accepted the telegram as a sufficient ticket. At the Union station last night, however, the men were not allowed to pass the gates until the station master had given his indorsement to the strange pass. They obtained this after a long and embarrassing delay, and boarded the fast line for Harrisburg, where transportation will be obtained from the department of the quartermaster general.

PITTSBURGHER ROBBED.

G. H. Vallowe's Grip Stolen While He Is Searching for Missing Brother.

RICHMOND, IND., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—G. H. Vallowe of Pittsburgh, who came to Indiana in search of a missing brother, met with bad luck. The brother's name is W. H. Vallowe. He disappeared from Pittsburgh more than two years ago. The anxiety to find him now is due to the fact that their father is ill and desires to see his missing son.

Vallowe arrived in Indianapolis, having traced his brother to that point. While at the depot his grip, containing his clothing and a fine musical instrument, were stolen. The missing man is a druggist and is 31 years old.

The Vallowe family lives in the Thirty-first ward. The father is not in good health, but is able to be about the house.

Will Go Over $1,000,000.

According to the accounts given in the London, England, papers, which have arrived in this city, the defalcations of Laurence H. Greig, the bookkeeper employed at the London branch office of the Carnegie Steel Company, will amount to over $1,000,000. It is also stated that many letters which should have been received at the general offices of the company, in Pittsburgh, from the London office, were discovered in his possession.

CAPT. GEORGE W. BOULGER, LIEUT. H. A. BOULGER,
Greenville Brothers, Members of Co. K, Sixteenth Regiment.

COKE WORKER SHOT DEAD WHILE PLAYING A JOKE

Under the Guise of a Burglar, He Entered His Boarding House at Night.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Oct. 9.—William Cunningham, a coke drawer employed at the Colebrook works, near this place, was shot and instantly killed while playing a joke upon Mrs. Rose Keffer, the woman with whom he boarded.

Cunningham left his boarding house at about 1 a. m. for his work, and upon returning at an early hour pretended he was a burglar. Some of the other boarders were called and in the darkness Cunningham was shot through the mouth with a 32-caliber revolver.

MISSIONARY OFFICERS.

The Women's Convention of Synod Closes at Wheeling.

WHEELING, Oct. 9.—At the closing session of the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the Pittsburgh synod, the following officers were elected:

President, Mrs. R. H. Hay, Allegheny; first vice president, Mrs. Eli Miller, Allegheny; Mrs. J. W. Swan, Worthington, Pa., and Mrs. C. H. Tebay, Leechburg, Pa.; secretaries, Mrs. S. T. Nicholas, Allegheny, and Mrs. C. P. Willis, Pittsburgh; treasurer, Mrs. W. J. Snyder, Connellsville, Pa.; historian, Mrs. Jennie Reamer, Pittsburgh; chairman of literature committee, Miss Augusta Dixon, Pittsburgh; delegate to biennial convention in Pittsburgh, Mrs. R. H. Hay.

PRESERVING OLD DEEDS.

Slow Process in Transcribing Pennsylvania Land Titles.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 9.—(Special.)—The records preserved by the department of internal affairs of all of the titles to lands granted since William Penn took possession of Pennsylvania are being transcribed for purposes of preservation.

A bill was passed by the legislature of 1839 providing for the transcription and the work was prosecuted so slowly that up to 16 years ago only 5,000 deeds had been preserved in this way. Now they are being copied into new registers at the rate of about 5,000 a year. There still remain to be copied about 150,000 titles, which, at the present rate of transcription, will require 30 years.

Synod Elects Officers.

JEANNETTE, PA., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—The meeting of the Pittsburgh synod of the Reformed church of the United States met here today. The services were opened by the Rev. A. M. Keeper of Greensburg, the retiring president. The Rev. W. A. Saunders of Irwin was elected president. Other officers were elected as follows: Vice president, Elder H. F. Texter, Wilkinsburg; stated clerk, the Rev. J. H. Bickley, Johnstown; corresponding secretary, H. S. May, Elders Lick, Somerset county.

Shot Dead While Hunting.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Easton Lape, a well-known farmer of Casselman, left home several days ago for a hunting trip, and did not return. His family kept up a vigorous hunt until Thursday, when the man's dead body was found. The contents of a shotgun tore away the left breast and heart. A coroner's verdict of accidental shooting was rendered.

TO PREACH SERMONS ON COLLEGE FOUNDING

Eminent Divines Will Occupy Pulpits at Washington Next Sunday.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, PA., Oct. 9.—President James D. Moffat of Washington and Jefferson college has given out a list of the prominent clergymen, alumni of the institution, who will occupy the pulpits of the various churches of Washington next Sunday and preach sermons commemorative of the founding of the college. The principal address of the day will be delivered by the Rev. J. Ross Stevenson, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church of New York. Dr. Stevenson will speak in the afternoon at the college gymnasium on the relation of the college to foreign missions.

The other clergymen who will preach are the Rev. Dr. Joseph T. Smith, Baltimore; the Rev. Dr. Charles A. Dickey, Philadelphia; the Rev. Dr. Benjamin L. Agnew, Philadelphia; the Rev. Dr. Thomas A. McCurdy, Wilmington, Del.; the Rev. Dr. R. G. Ferguson, New Wilmington, president Westminster college; the Rev. Dr. Isaac C. Ketler, president Grove City college; the Rev. Dr. William T. Meloy, Chicago, and the Rev. Dr. Daniel W. Fisher, Hanover, Ind. Prof. A. S. Hunter, Ph. D., of Pittsburgh, will also give an address in one of the churches on Sunday. Preparations for the college centennial celebration were practically completed today.

Ballot as Big as Barn-Door.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 9.—(Special.)—The exact size of the official ballot at the November election is yet to be determined. Three of the parties which have nominated state tickets have cases in the Dauphin county court, on which hang their right to a column. They are the Union, Anti-Machine and the Ballot Reform parties. With all of these parties on the ballot there will be 10 columns, not counting the blank column for the insertion of the names of persons who have not been regularly nominated by any particular party.

State Charters Issued.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 9.—Charters were issued today to the following corporations: Union Planing Mill & Lumber Company, Jeannette, capital $60,000; J. G. Rook Company, Pittsburgh, $20,000; Colonial Cigar Company, Pittsburgh, capital $1,000.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

MERCER, PA.—John Palmer, for several years an inmate of the Mercer county almshouse, was struck by the Pennsylvania express and instantly killed. He was deaf.

CLARKSBURG, W. VA.—The Republican campaign was opened here by Senator Scott and ex-Gov. Hoge of Virginia, who addressed a good sized audience at the court house.

INDIANA, PA.—The One Hundred and Fifth regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, will hold their reunion in this place October 15. Preparations being made for the entertainment of 100 veterans.

CHARLESTON, W. VA.—Edward Phillips, who was convicted of murder in the MacDowell county criminal court and sentenced to be hanged August 25, but obtained a respite to October 20, has been granted a further stay of execution by Gov. White until November 28.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—Prof. J. R. Sherrard, county superintendent of schools, left for Cambridge, Ill., on receipt of a telegram announcing the death there of his brother, John Sherrard, who was killed in a runaway accident. John Sherrard was born and raised in this county.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA.—President Blair of the Little Kanawha railroad has asked for bids for the construction of the extension of that road, which is to form a part of the Wabash system. The bids were asked for on two sections, from Parkersburg to Burnsville and from Burnsville to Buckhannon.

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EMBALMING FLUID CAUSED PRIEST'S DEATH

He Drank Liquid Sent Him by Mistake for Mineral Water.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

MANNINGTON, W. VA., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—The Rev. Father W. R. Prendergast of the Catholic church here died this morning from the effects of mineral poisoning. Last night he drank what was supposed to be Webster Springs water, but which, on investigation, seems to be embalming fluid sent him by mistake. Other members of the parsonage sipped the poison and all are sick.

Father Prendergast had been in this city five years, during which time he had strengthened the local church, cleared it of debt and made many friends.

Yesterday he discarded the use of crutches for the first time since he broke his hip last spring, and was in particularly fine spirits.

An investigation of the affair will be made.

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Showing the Christmas Toys.

Today and tomorrow are to be children's days here in the broadest sense of the expression.

The Toy Store on the sixth floor is to be given over to juvenility for sight seeing.

The elders may attend, for it is good once in a while to be among childish things; but they must understand the youngsters' *own the whole sixth floor* these two days.

Practically an *inexhaustible collection of the world's best toys*, which our buyer spent several months in Europe gathering.

Every kind of a toy from the least expensive to the very finest and most cleverly designed.

The most unique collection of dressed and undressed Dolls we ever exhibited.

Let the girls and the boys come—*especially the youngest. We'll take good care of them.*

The Children's Shoe Store.

Many people do not realize what an extensive Shoe Store for Children we have right here in the midst of our shoe store for grown-ups.

It is just as complete and exclusive—just as zealously managed for the fullest outfitting of children as if we sold nothing but children's shoes.

We have every sort of shoe in every good grade for every age, from baby's first shoes up to the step-over to womanhood and manhood.

And each style is made in the most careful manner for the comfort and right dressing of growing feet.

Some of the variety—

Babies' Shoes of patent leather, kid and velvet tops, $1.25.

Babies' Shoes of black kid skin—plain wide toe, or patent leather tips, button or lace, light spring heels—sizes 4 to 8—$1.25.

Black kid skin Shoes, with patent leather tips, made on full round toe last, broad bottoms, soles of oak-tanned leather, welted spring heel, button or lace, sizes 5 to 8, $1.50; 8½ to 11, $1.90; 11½ to 2, $2.50.

Small boys' Shoes of box calf, blucher cut, broad soles, and heavy, sizes 1, 1½ and 2, $2.50.

Large boys' Shoes made of heavy box calf, stout oak-tanned leather, welted sole, copied after a popular style of men's shoes, sizes 2½ to 6, $3.

New Couch Covers.

You will find these in the fourth floor Curtain and Drapery department.

The price range is from $1.75 to $10.

They are of reversible tapestry and are fringed all around.

Some new Indian Couch Covers, printed stuffs that are washable, large size border all around, $2.75 each.

Brief Mention of New Waists.

$8.50.

A perfect tailor-made waist of moire Velour, with French back and box pleated front; four large pearl buttons down front; plain tailor sleeve, with small turn-over cuff; small turn-over collar.

The following are special—particularly the waists mentioned in the first paragraph.

At $1.50, worth from $3 to $4.50—Flannel, Albatross, Velvet and Corduroy Waists—a small lot containing broken lines. All colors. Some made perfectly plain, others tucked.

The department has just received a new line of Cotton Waists—mercerized oxfords. New patterns and styles. $3.50 and $4.50.

At $4.50—heavy colored Linen Waists—blue and green—made with slot seams front and back; stock with turn-over and tie to match.

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The smart suit, the refined suit, the safe suit to buy to turn the season with, is a black or blue cheviot.

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If you want to run from business to the theater, the black cheviot escapes notice, and makes you feel more comfortable than anything else outside of your Tuxedo.

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Suits of black cheviot, single and double breasted, at $15. These are the best values we ever offered. The materials have been used by us for many years and are thoroughly reliable. The double breasted coat is made with long roll, three buttons, and is extremely stylish.

Men's Fancy Cheviot Sack Suits, at $15. A convenient price and the best suits you ever saw for that price. Wide variety of patterns to select from, and some extremely nobby ones in the lot. If $15 is your price for a Fall suit you will buy a Horne suit, for we've a good deal more to show you at that price than we can tell about here.

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SHAFFER ISSUES A SPECIAL CALL

Tin Plate Workers to Convene October 20 on Rebate Question.

COMPLICATIONS EXIST

Shaffer Says They Should Be Explained and the Matter Settled. Shall Tin Plate Workers Obtain the Re-Export Trade?

The result of the conference between the scale committee of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Iron Workers and the American Tin Plate Company, resulted in an adjournment without any agreement being reached. It was decided by the Amalgamated association men in the conference to again submit the question of agreeing to a rebate on certain so-called foreign work to an authority higher than that possessed by them, this time to a special convention of tin and plate iron workers to be held on October 20.

One obstacle in the way of an agreement on this matter was the possibility of the wages being paid for tin plate that could not be exported. This objection is overcome when it was explained that the Standard Oil Company and Armour, Swift and the other big packing houses would be compelled to pay full price for the production intended for foreign trade. The American Tin Plate Company has agreed to allow a rebate when it is shown that the plate has been made into cans and sent abroad. The rebate will amount to more than the 25 per cent reduction in wages the men are asked to accept, and the interests of the workers as well as those of the company are to be considered in determining what amount of plate is to be exported under this arrangement.

Following the adjournment of the conference last Tuesday President T. J. Shaffer sent telegrams to the various lodges affected, notifying them of the outcome, and also of the fact that a special convention to consider the matter would be held in Pittsburgh October 20. In his call to the lodges President Shaffer said:

"Brethren: Your conference committee has tried repeatedly to conclude its work as outlined by the 27th convention. The work is retarded by the rebate, or export, question, which many of our people do not understand, but which has caused endless complications that should be explained and the matter settled. The conference committee and a number of lodges have requested that a special tin plate workers' convention be called to dispose of the question."

The call to the lodges includes instructions as to the form of representation that is required. Each lodge is required to send only tin plate and black plate workers, and only as many delegates as the constitution entitles in consideration of membership. Those lodges having representatives in the conference committee are instructed to elect them as delegates, as their presence is necessary. The question to be discussed is: "Shall the tin plate workers arrange to obtain the re-export trade?"

A PRESIDENTIAL HINT TO AMBASSADOR MEYER

Announcement of His Successor Is to Remind Him of His Limited Tenure.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
603 Fifteenth St., N. W.,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9.

Quite the most interesting thing in diplomatic circles just now is that the semi-official announcement here that Henry White, secretary of the United States embassy at London, is to succeed Ambassador Meyer at Rome, was followed within 24 hours by the statement of Mr. Meyer in Paris that he knew nothing about it.

Government officials here are wondering whether the announcement of the president's intentions was not a gentle hint to Mr. Meyer, who was appointed at the request of Senator Hoar of Massachusetts.

The post of ambassador at Rome first had been tendered by President McKinley to Myron T. Herrick of Cleveland, who said he would not be able to take it for a year, and the general understanding on the part of President McKinley and Secretary Hay was that Mr. Meyer would remain there only for a year and then make way for Mr. Herrick. It appears, however, that Senator Hoar and Mr. Meyer were both ignorant of this expectation on the part of President McKinley.

Six months ago Mr. Herrick was again tendered the post by President Roosevelt, but was obliged to decline it. Mr. Meyer has remained at Rome, although it was expected last summer he would resign and enter the race for congress as successor to Secretary Moody.

Fountain for Memorial.

J. I. Buchanan, John W. Beatty and J. D. Callery were yesterday appointed a committee to select a design for the C. L. Magee memorial fountain, to be erected at the Forbes street entrance to Schenley park. A meeting of the Magee Memorial association was held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms yesterday, and the recommendation of the committee was accepted.

Cutting Case Cleared Up.

Michael Haney of Fifty-fifth and Harrison streets, was fined $5 yesterday morning by Magistrate Kerr. He was charged with being a suspicious person. On August 25 Haney, his wife says, came home intoxicated and threw a lamp at her. It struck the wall, glancing sideways, cutting his stepson Hugh on the hip and leg, and his stepdaughter Mary in the abdomen.

American Cellist Knighted.

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 9.—King Christian has gazetted Anton Hegner, the American cellist, a knight of the Dannebrog order.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were granted yesterday:

Arthur M. Shoemaker	Westmoreland county
Louise M. Gruneberg	Pittsburgh
Daniel S. Carr	Pittsburgh
Martha E. Cibbs	Pittsburgh
Charles Hledkamp	Carrick
Bertha Fischer	Carrick
John Floyd	Pittsburgh
Margaret E. Lytle	Pittsburgh
Emil Newmann	Sharpsburg
Louisa Zimmerman	Etna
Robert J. Macanbray	McKees Rocks
Belle G. Gibson	Esplen
William A. Beadlthe	Turtle Creek
Mary A. Hohn	Banksville, Pa.
Albert Betcher	North Braddock
Amalia Krech	North Braddock
George Bogert	Pittsburgh
Annie L. McQuade	Sewickley
William Brown	Pittsburgh
Laura Bartlett	Bellevue
James Hill	Westmoreland county
Beckie Rldenour	Westmoreland county
Amelia J. Reehl	Mt. Lebanon
Bertha Heintz	Mt. Lebanon
W. W. McMaster	Washington county
Lottie M. Bates	Washington, Pa.
Harry J. Demming	McKeesport
Evelyn E. Davis	Pittsburgh
Louis C. Adamitz	Hope Church
Katie J. Dietzen	Duquesne

CANVASS FOR MINERS.

Force of Solicitors Begins House to House Work for Striking Anthracite Men Today.

Today an active house-to-house canvass, in the interest of the striking miners, will commence in Pittsburgh. This plan was adopted in Philadelphia more than a week ago, and has proved very successful.

Each solicitor is to be furnished with several hundred postal cards addressed to the Pittsburgh office of the United Mine Workers. On the back is a form of promissory note which the subscriber fills in by indicating the amount he will contribute. In most cases it is expected that the money will be paid to the collectors, who are equipped with credentials. The postal cards are to be retained by the subscriber and mailed to the office of the Miners' union. By this method any possible dishonesty is prevented.

UNDERTAKERS NOW AMONG ACCUSED

COFFINS ARE BURIED WITHOUT BODIES.

Glass Broken to Make It Appear Graves Have Been Robbed.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Oct. 9.—A party headed by Detectives Asch and Manning went to Louisville this afternoon to identify, if possible, some of the bodies found in a cold storage room in that city last night. It is thought that some of the bodies stolen from Indianapolis cemeteries, which mysteriously disappeared from the college here, may be found there. The party included, besides the detectives, relatives of those whose graves have been desecrated.

Attorney Counaway goes in the interest of his clients, Rufus Cantrell, Walter Daniels and several other members of the grave robbers' gang under arrest in this city. He expects to show that the negroes were not alone in the work of robbing graves, and that they were influenced by physicians.

Rufus Cantrell was taken again to the Mount Jackson cemetery by detectives today. He said he could show that coffins were buried in the place without bodies. One of the graves was opened. Before reaching the coffin, Cantrell said:

"Now, you will find the glass broken. It is a trick of the undertaker to make it appear that the body was stolen from the grave."

The coffin was empty and the glass was broken. The coffin was a cheap affair, and the opening where the glass had been was not more than 18 inches wide. The lid was securely fastened.

A dispatch from Alexandria, Ind., says the authorities have information that will appal the people about Alexandria, Fairmount and Summitville, as many bodies in those sections have been stolen. An Alexandria liveryman and a physician are implicated.

White ghouls, the dispatch says, in close touch with the negroes, are responsible for the gas belt depredations. They carted the bodies off by daylight in old barrels covered with junk. One or two grave yard sextons are implicated.

HELD FOR CONSPIRACY.

Norfolk Butchers Charged With Combining to Beat Government on Contract.

NORFOLK, VA., Oct. 9.—United States Commissioner Bowden today held for the federal grand jury Aaron Marx, J. A. Codd and Louis Wasserman for conspiracy with intent to defraud the United States in the contract for supplying the Norfolk navy yard with 100,000 pounds of beef and a similar amount of fresh vegetables. All three were admitted to bail.

It is charged that Marx, Wasserman, Codd and Richard Eastwood met in a hotel in Washington and Marx, by paying $150 to each of the others, secured the contract.

Boy's Wish Gratified.

Harry Smith, the 14-year-old boy who was picked up at Union station Tuesday night and is ambitious to go on the stage, is to have his wish gratified. When taken to Central Station his sweet singing captivated all who heard his songs, and Inspector Frederick Will communicated with a number of theatrical men about the boy. Yesterday he was given a hearing before Manager Harry Davis of the Avenue, Manager E. d. McCullough of the Empire, and George Gill of New York, manager of "The Little Outcast" company, which comes to the Empire next week. The boy will sing at the Avenue next week and then probably go with The Little Outcast Company.

Pursued Him 200 Miles.

A pursuit through six Ohio cities, in which 200 miles was covered, ended yesterday morning when John Bedna, a molder of Cleveland, succeeded in catching up with John Antosia and causing his arrest in McClure avenue, Allegheny. Antosia was committed to jail by Alderman Lynch for a hearing tonight on a serious charge made by Bedna on behalf of his sister. Bedna yesterday said the pursuit of Antosia lasted 10 days and he had also abandoned it in Canton, when he learned Antosia was in lower Allegheny.

CATARRH OF THE STOMACH.

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Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied sometimes with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs and difficult breathing, headaches, fickle appetite, nervousness and a general played out, languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach. To secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harlanson the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, composed of Diastate, Aseptic Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal and fruit acids. These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and not being a patent medicine can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite and thorough digestion will follow their regular use after meals.

Mr. R. S. Workman, Chicago, Ill., writes: "Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom passing backward into the throat, reaches the stomach, this producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me for three years for catarrh of stomach without cure, but today I am the happiest of men after using only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling. I have found flesh, appetite and sound rest from their use."

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YOUTHFUL VIGOR AGAINST BARREL

Godcharles, Republican, Hopes to Wipe Out a Democratic Majority.

THE MINERS FAVOR HIM

Pattison's Speakers Brought Into the District to Help Millionaire Nominee of Their Party in Sixteenth Congressional District.

BY WALTER J. CHRISTY,
Staff Correspondent.

Bloomsburg, Pa., Oct. 9.—No contest in this end of the state attracts more attention than the political battle raging in the Sixteenth congressional district, composed of Northumberland, Columbia, Montour and Sullivan counties. It is here that Fred A. Godcharles, a dashing young Republican, is trying to overturn a Democratic majority of 2,600. There are many who believe he will be successful.

There are few men who would tackle the job young Godcharles has undertaken. Not only has he a Democratic majority to overcome, but he must fight an opponent who has $1,000,000 back of him and a willingness to part with a large slice of the money.

To back up the man with a barrel, Pattison and his spellbinders have been run into Northumberland county, the home of Godcharles, and tomorrow night their guns will be turned upon Sunbury.

Rufus K. Polk, Democrat, represented this district in congress. Early this spring he died suddenly in Philadelphia. This fall the vacancy caused by his death is to be filled and the representative elected for the full term.

The Four Candidates.

For the short term the Republicans have named M. K. Lord of Northumberland, and the Democrats Alexander Billmyer of Montour. For the full term Godcharles is the Republican nominee and C. H. Dickerman the Democratic candidate. Both men live in Milton. All four candidates are traveling the district and the Republicans are working together.

Northumberland is the only Republican county in the district. The district was twice carried by Monroe H. Kulp, a Republican. The first time he cut the Democratic majority in Columbia from 2,100 to 900, and the next time he got it down to 700. The friends of Godcharles believe that if Farmer Kulp could accomplish this, Godcharles can. He was a member of the last legislature. He was an insurgent, but in his fight this fall the entire party is supporting him. In addition to this he has a number of strong Democratic supporters.

There are many striking coal miners in this county and they are all friends of Godcharles and the entire Republican ticket. They have told Godcharles that the whole Shamokin region will be for him and the Republican ticket.

When Pennypacker was at Shamokin last week he was greeted by a large audience. He will carry Northumberland by a good majority, but Godcharles will run considerably ahead of him. Godcharles also has recived the unanimous indorsement of the railroad men of his district. The same body gave Pattison an indorsement.

Characteristics of Candidates.

Godcharles is a young bachelor of 30. He is at the head of a nail manufacturing concern in Milton. His first appearance in public life was in the last house, where he proved himself one of the most convincing talkers on the floor. His opponent lives in the same ward in Milton. He is a retired manufacturer who has never dabbled in politics and has been accustomed to pass his neighbors without noticing them. He now regrets his lack of affability. Godcharles draws the crowds wherever he goes, and the paid agents of Dickerman report that barrel campaigning is not a success in Northumberland.

Four counties were covered by the Democrats today. The start was made at Muncy, Lycoming county, at 7:10 this morning. From there Hughesville was reached by a 14-mile drive. At Hughesville a big audience of Lycoming Democrats was addressed. Before dinner the people of Muncy were told that they had a right to abolish the constitution.

There was an afternoon meeting in Milton, and tonight engagements were played in Bloomburg, Columbia county, and Danville, Montour county, in addition to Pattison and Guthrie, there was quite an array of talent on the stump at all of the meetings.

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DEATHS.

BATES—Suddenly, on Tuesday morning, October 7, 1902, in New York city, FRANCIS ALBERT BATES, SR., formerly of Pittsburgh.

Funeral services at the chapel of H. Samson, No. 423 Sixth avenue, Pittsburgh, this morning at 11 o'clock. Interment private.

DUNN—On Wednesday, October 8, 1902, at 12:30 p. m., LEO THEODORE, son of Leo M. Dunn and Catherine L. Murphy, aged 9 months.

Funeral from parents' residence, No. 6 Enoch street, Friday, at 2 p. m.

FAULKNER—On Thursday, October 9, 1902, at 1:25 a. m., ALICE DILWORTH FAULKNER, only daughter of Nancy J. Faulkner.

Funeral services at the residence of her mother, 1722 Buena Vista street, Allegheny, on Saturday, October 11, at 2:30 p. m. Friends are invited. Interment private.

FITZPATRICK—On Wednesday, October 8, 1902, at 2:05 p. m., P. A. FITZPATRICK, husband of Hannah Ball, in his 29th year.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 55 Lillian street, Allentown, this (Friday) morning at 8:30 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Canice's church at 9 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

[West Newton and McKeesport papers please copy.]

JONES—On Tuesday evening, October 7, 1902, at 6:30, CATHERINE JONES (nee Thomas), beloved wife of Jenkins Jones, in her 67th year.

Services at her late home, 2309 Sarah street, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of family invited to attend. Interment later.

M'ADOO—At the family residence, No. 1830 Webster avenue, on Wednesday morning at 5:30 o'clock, MATILDA CONNELL, wife of James McAdoo, in her 49th year.

Funeral on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Services at the Grant Street Reformed Presbyterian church at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

M'CLURE—Suddenly, on Wednesday, October 8, 1902, at 10:30 p. m., at her home in Vandergrift, Pa., CLARA M'CANDLESS, wife of William L. McClure.

Funeral services at the McClure residence, Vandergrift, on Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Interment in Homewood cemetery, Pittsburgh, at a later hour.

PLUMER—On Wednesday, October 8, 1902, at 9:15 a. m., at the residence of his son, L. M. Plumer, No. 358 South Highland avenue, SAMUEL PLUMER of Franklin, Pa.

Interment in Franklin.

ROHRKASTE—On Wednesday, October 8, at 2:45 p. m., MRS. ERNESTINE ROHRKASTE, in her 69th year, wife of Fred G. Rohrkaste, 301 Third avenue, New Brighton, Pa.

Funeral services at 10:30 a. m. Saturday. October 11. Train arrives Pittsburgh at 2 p. m., Lake Erie. Interment in St. Paul's Lutheran cemetery, Mt. Oliver, South Side.

SLICKER—On Wednesday, October 8, 1902, at 8:45 p. m., LOUISE LEAH, only daughter of Theodore A. and Josie E. Slicker (nee Schmolze), aged 1 year and 3 months.

Funeral from family residence, 106 Twenty-third street, South Side, on Friday, October 10, at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

[Marion (Ind.) and Philadelphia (Pa.) papers please copy.]

TAYLOR—On Wednesday, October 8, 1902, THOMAS TAYLOR, in his 78th year, formerly of Midway, Pa.

Funeral services at his late residence, Bradford avenue, Crafton, Pa., on Saturday, Oct. 11, at 2 p. m. Interment private.

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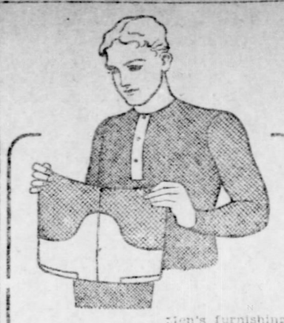

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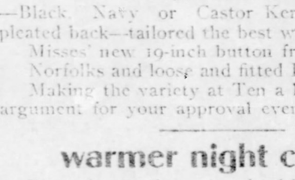

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SIXTEEN PAGES.

Mr. McClintock's communication confirms the accuracy of The Gazette's account of Mr. Guthrie's connection with the passage of the new charter bill, ripper and all. Now that the facts are fully set forth the public may draw its own conclusions. Our objection to the original statement was that its language was misleading, as it was calculated to produce the impression that Mr. Guthrie had had nothing to do with the passage of the ripper bill, whereas he labored effectively for its passage. Mr. Guthrie's course was altogether creditable to him. Like others laboring for charter reform he accepted the charter bill as the best that could be gotten under the circumstances. As Mr. McClintock points out, it was not the ripper clause which vitiated the bill, but the governor's abuse of the authority it conferred upon him.

Whatever differences of opinion there are as regards other features of the situation in the anthracite region there is universal condemnation of the attitude of the mine operators. All classes agree that the operators have not shown a proper appreciation of their duties and responsibilities, or they would not have committed themselves to a merely passive attitude of stubborn resistance. As evidence of the autocratic ideas that inspire their policy there is a great deal of comment upon President Baer's late remark about "the Christian men to whom God in His infinite wisdom has given control of the property interests of the country." The assumption of divine right is a bit of medievalism absurdly out of place in the modern world. The authority which President Baer and his associates exercise is the creation of public authority and is subject to change or modification by public authority. The mine operators are subject to the laws and to the control of the forces of public opinion which mold the laws. They have acted most unwisely in setting themselves up against these forces.

There is a general agreement among observers and investigators who have followed the phases of the conflict, that the mine operators have gotten the worst of it in the controversy on the merits of the case. President Mitchell in his replies to President Baer and Abram Hewitt abstained from rhetoric and dealt in specific statements of fact, arguing that the demands made were no more than had been conceded in the bituminous region. No attempt has been made to meet fairly his statements, the operators retiring from the discussion under declarations of willingness to treat with the miners individually and deal fairly with complaints. Recognition of the miners' union has been the real issue of the conflict. That such recognition is compatible with management and discipline in the control of mining properties has been shown by the experience of the bituminous fields, which have seen a great diminution of strikes since the business has been conducted under wage agreements entered into with the mine workers' union. Had it not been for these agreements and the conservative influence exerted by President Mitchell there can be little doubt that the anthracite disturbance would have caused sympathetic strikes in the bituminous fields. The inability of the anthracite operators to appreciate the facts of the situation is the subject of much censure from their own class and the rumors that a break in their ranks is impending seems quite probable.

The only effective allies and supporters which the mine operators have in their policy of stubborn resistance to any settlement short of complete and absolute submission on the part of the workers are the rowdies and anarchists who are attacking non-unionists, dynamiting houses, tearing up railroad tracks and destroying mining property. So long as these outrages continue there is no way of positively contradicting the claim of the operators that they can hire enough labor at their own terms if the workers are protected. The labor leaders deny this and say that the men will stand firm under any circumstances. If this be so then none are so much interested as the miners' union in the prompt suppression of lawlessness, for if that excuse for not supplying the market is taken away "the Christian men," to whom President Baer referred, will soon find that they are responsible to public authority, as well as to God.

President Mitchell's refusal to comply with President Roosevelt's appeal to call the strike off is quite natural. At the White House conference he offered to meet the mine operators at any time to reach a settlement, or he was willing that President Roosevelt should name a tribunal to pass upon the issues, pledging the miners to accept the decision, even though it should be against their claims. He probably thinks that he has no right to go further, although we think he might wisely have left the case in President Roosevelt's hands, accepting the president's pledge of redress of grievances. There are hopeful indications that some way out of the deadlock will be found. "The Christian men" have probably found that when they turned down the president, as well as the miners' union, they went too far, and are not now in so unaccommodating a mood as they were. President Mitchell and the district presidents of the anthracite region are not holding conferences in New York with prominent statesmen and business men for nothing. There is evidently something doing which portends a settlement of the strike.

France, as well as America, is having a great coal strike. The number who have gone out are estimated at 47,000, and the government has sent 10 squadrons of cavalry and three brigades of gendarmes to the disturbed districts to preserve order. While the miners' strike in this country has been restricted to its original boundaries by the wise conservatism of the leaders, that in France is spreading fast, and a general strike of all the miners in France has been ordered, which will make more trouble for the authorities and increase the call for troops. The French miners number 162,000, of whom 60,000 belong to the miners' union. A strike upon such a vast scale cannot last long, as all resources for the support of the strikers must speedily be exhausted. Meanwhile the British miners are having a harvest from the practical monopoly of production thrown into their hands, and the extraordinary demand is sending up prices in a way that brings gloom to the British householder. The civilized world is so closely connected that serious disturbance anywhere is felt everywhere.

AUTHORITATIVE CONSTRUCTION.

There has been so much misinterpretation of the Iowa Republican platform that it is a relief to have it authoritatively interpreted by Gov. Cummins, the leading spirit in the convention that adopted it. This interpretation was given in the speech of Gov. Cummins before the Marquette club of Chicago last evening and differs in no particular from the construction placed upon it by The Gazette the day after it was promulgated.

First of all Gov. Cummins puts stress upon the Republicanism of Iowa, stanch, unwavering, never faltering. Emanating from such Republicans the platform, he points out, is necessarily Republican in every fiber. It declares undying devotion to the Republican principle of protection. It declares emphatically for a continuance of protection and its logical complement of reciprocity. It reaffirms the Republican national platform utterance that the party is not wedded to schedules, but is ready to change them when changes are rendered necessary by altered conditions. Finally it favors reduction of duties if it be found that any such afford shelter to monopoly—a plain, sensible conclusion to arrive at.

Gov. Cummins makes it plain there was no intention back of that resolution to favor free trade. Iowa Republicans do not believe, any more than Republicans elsewhere, that protection is responsible for the "trusts." They know there are "trusts" in free trade England. They did not propose any general or indiscriminate attack upon the schedules of the Dingley law, but merely pledged themselves to favor modification of any schedule if it should be found that it was sheltering a monopoly.

This ought to settle the Iowa platform controversy. There is no better authority upon what that platform means than Gov. Cummins. He asserts it means precisely what it says and every word of it, on its face, is sound Republican doctrine. Democratic organs have purposely misconstrued it and Speaker Henderson's sensational retirement was twisted into an appearance of confirmation of their misconstruction. As a matter of fact Iowa is an thoroughly Republican as ever and no less firm in its adherence to the principle of a tariff for protection.

THE PITTSBURGH ORCHESTRA.

What promises to be by long odds the most comprehensive and artistically interesting season the Pittsburgh orchestra has ever offered is to be found in the plans that have been made public this fall by the orchestra management. This organization is a gratifying reminder of what energy, talent and liberality may do toward the advancement of the art interests of a community. Under the leadership of Mr. Herbert the orchestra has achieved almost national distinction and has given its native city a prestige in the music world that is at once commanding and unmistakable. At home the influence of the orchestra's work has been marked in the cultivation of a music taste among all classes, for one of the admirable features of the annual series of concerts has been the thoroughly democratic character of the audiences. Pittsburgh has come to know and appreciate orchestral music of high class through the work of Mr. Herbert's organization as it possibly could not have known through any method of like informal character.

The plans outlined for the present season show a widening of the scope of the orchestra's work. They also foreshadow the necessity for even more liberal public support than has been given the organization. The management is especially anxious to have the season subscription plan brought more prominently to the attention of the music loving public. Certainly the concerts by the orchestra fill a very large niche, both artistically and socially, in the life of Pittsburgh, and for this reason should be liberally encouraged.

GEN. STEWART, COMMANDER.

It will be gratifying to the Grand Army men of Pennsylvania and their friends that Gen. Thomas J. Stewart of this state has been chosen for commander-in-chief of the G. A. R. Gen. Stewart has been one of the most popular men in the state and has been highly honored by its people. He is adjutant general of Pennsylvania and much credit is due him for the present efficiency of the National Guard. His service in the late unpleasantness between the states was short but creditable. It is not his fault that it was brief. His youth worked against his desire to serve his country, and he ran away from home twice to get into the great game of war before succeeding. He has been commander of the Pennsylvania department of the G. A. R., and as an officer of the national encampment he has won great favor among Grand Army men throughout the union. Gen. Stewart was compelled to abandon an active canvass for the highest honor of the national encampment by a call to duty in his own state, but his absence from Washington did not militate against him. We are glad to congratulate him on his success and the Grand Army upon getting such a capable commander.

DEFIANCE NOT THE TERM.

Congressman Southwick is reported to have created some excitement in an address in Carnegie hall, New York city, last night by declaring Attorney General Knox to be "defying Wall street, defying Mr. Morgan." We do not see any occasion to be excited over the declaration, though defiance is not the proper term. Mr. Knox is merely proceeding to enforce the law. Of course, if that be defiance, the persons defied will have to make the most of it. But it is not in a spirit of defiance that Mr. Knox is acting, and there is no need for defiance. It is a calm, orderly proceeding in the courts; not a stumping arraignment of persons and influences. It does not seek to hurt, but to restrain from alleged unlawful acts and their injurious consequences. Were Wall street and Mr. Morgan powers superior to the Constitution and the statutes, defiance might be the proper term; but they are not. They are subject to the same restraining influences as the miners in the anthracite region. We do not defy the miners; we simply insist on their obediance and subjection to the law. And so with all others. It is for the weak to defy. The people are strong and their representatives are clothed with the power of the people. Therefore, they do not defy.

PASSING OF INDIAN TERRITORY.

It has for many years been the policy of philanthropists to convert the Indians into self-supporting citizens, managing their own affairs and standing before the laws as individuals like American citizens in general. Anthropologists have pointed out that this practically means the extinction of the Indians, as their nature is a product of their tribal organization, and when the influences that have shaped and controlled it are removed its degradation is apt to follow. A distinguished French ethnologist has wittily remarked that efforts to lift wild races into civilization are like asking fish to come out of the water, for the reason that all the superior animals practice aerial respiration. Be this as it may it is a practical impossibility to preserve to the Indian tribes the wide ranges of territory which their native mode of life requires, and it was inevitable that they should conform to civilization or perish under its advance. Hence the efforts that have been made to train the Indians in the ways of civilized life have been amply justified, although the results have been disappointing.

If any considerable body of the Indians can survive the shock of transition, it may be expected to be found among the tribes of Indian territory, where they have long been accustomed to the externals of civilization. Five years ago the work of breaking up their tribal organizations and creating individual ownership of land was begun and the work of allottment is now about complete. An area equal in size to the state of Indiana has been divided among 65,000 Indians and nearly 19,000 negroes, descendants of the slaves, who belonged to the tribes and who secured tribal rights when freed. There are at present restraints upon the sale of these homesteads, and it will be about 25 years before the holders will be as free to dispose of them as other citizens are free to dispose of their property, but sooner or later all restraint upon individual control will disappear.

What will be the result fifty or a hundred years from now? Indian territory comprises some of the finest lands in the country and contains industrial opportunities as varied as those of any state in the middle west. It can support a population of millions just as well as Indians, and, doubtless, when artificial barriers are removed population will pour in. Will the Indians be able to retain their land? Can they make as much out of it as they can gain by selling it and can they resist the offers which will be made to them? Perhaps a portion of them will confirm and improve their present ownership, but the greater probability is that Indian ownership will pass away and nothing but a strain of Indian blood in some strata of the population will eventually remain to show that the country was once a possession of the Indian race.

There is much to commend in the Baltimore & Ohio railroad plans for changes of its tracks in this city. The abolition of all grade crossings is a consideration of no mean value. It will go far to compensate for any inconvenience the city will suffer in changing the location of Second avenue. But in the matter of taking wharf property at Water and Smithfield streets the railroad company should at once authorize an increase in the rental offered to a fair figure. Pittsburgh has passed the stage where it needs to offer a premium for the occupation of its property.

Little Rhoda Island has taken its stand in the column with hearty commendation of President Roosevelt and his policies, "particularly in regard to Cuba." The convention also favored the renomination of President Roosevelt in 1904. Everywhere it is the same story—and "particularly in regard to Cuba." There is no comfort anywhere for the recalcitrant, obstructionist minority that blocked the way during the long session of the 57th congress to doing full justice to Cuba and putting it in the way of self-supporting commercial life.

While it is unfortunate that a simple-minded young man was the victim of a soldier's bullet, no blame attaches to the soldier. He did his duty. He challenged twice. The man tried to escape. The soldier shot him. That young man, unable to understand, should not have been allowed to roam about in irresponsible manner. Incidentally it may be noted the news of the shooting did not appear in boasting contemporaries yesterday morning, but was printed by The Gazette.

Judge Pennypacker epigrammatically and truthfully sums up Mr. Pattison's political history. He said in his speech last evening: "Mr. Pattison is a prelude to a tragedy; a preface to a book of disaster." But Mr. Pattison will not be a prelude to anything this year; he is about to become an epilogue to a campaign of calumny.

If our Democratic contemporaries think Pennsylvania is as bad as they represent it to be, it is a wonder they don't leave it. Of course there are not many Democrats here now, but all those who can see no good in the grand old Keystone state can be spared if they see any residence they like better.

Col. Watres has captured 1,000 rounds of ammunition in transit to a possible enemy. No matter what the ammunition was intended for, it is fortunate that it fell into the hands of the military. No one else in the coal region really needs ammunition just now.

Pattison's faction of the "Union party" demands the withdrawal of Nolan from the Democratic ticket and the substitution of Emery. Demand is a big word for such a small faction of an unimportant party.

The Democratic campaign of calumny continues. There is nothing too harsh for Democratic orators and organs to say about good old Pennsylvania.

Kaiser Wilhelm and the Boer generals are having a little by-play that will reflect no great credit upon either.

Gov. Cummins defines the Iowa platform on the tariff, and Gov. Cummins knows what he is talking about.

Tom Johnson as a Taxpayer.

From the Indianapolis Journal.

Mayor Tom L. Johnson, who is preaching reform in taxation in Ohio, pays but $246 39 a year taxes in Cleveland on a valuation of $14,000; yet Mr. Johnson's wealth is estimated at not less than $3,000,000. The problem in taxation is not how to compel railroads and other corporations to pay a higher tax, but how to compel men like Mr. Johnson, who conceal millions of taxable property, to pay some tax on it.

The Right Man for Speaker.

From the Lancaster Examiner.

It is whispered that John Dalzell may be made speaker. Good. He is the most brilliant man in the Pennsylvania delegation, and perfectly familiar with all the ways of congress. He would be a fit successor of a Reed and Henderson.

Venango Shaped for Victory.

From the Oil City Blizzard.

The Republicans of Venango county never had a ticket more worthy of their support than the one presented this fall. From top to bottom it is all right.

The Ping-Pong Championship.

From the Philadelphia Press.

Having won the two baseball championships the Pittsburgh Gazette wants Pennsylvania to take a shy at the ping-pong championships. Better wait until the two big P's—Pennypacker and Pattison—get through.

GOTHAM IN DREAD OF FUEL RIOTING

All Coal Dealers Advised to Keep in Telephonic Touch With the Police.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Oct. 9.

Nothing more significant in connection with the coal strike has happened in this city than the police instructions to coal dealers to keep in telephonic communication with headquarters. Dealers that have no telephone are advised to get them. When the cold wave settles over New York—and it may do so before tomorrow morning—the first real pinch of famine will be felt. Then there may be attacks upon coal yards, for it is useless to argue with starving or freezing people, particularly those having children. The result of an investigation ordered by Mayor Low a day or two ago shows that there is less than 4,000 tons of coal in all the coal yards north of Seventy-second street on both sides of Manhattan. Out of 38 dealers visited, nine had no coal at all, while two had closed their yards to wait for the strike to end. In the absence of coal, wood is more precious than usual, and lawlessness in acquiring it has become common already. The Lafayette boulevard, far up on the West Side, above One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, has many fine trees. Some of them have been surreptitiously cut down and carried away in the last week, and it has become necessary to place a police guard over those that remain. This is a straw to show which way the wind blows. No one can doubt that, if it becomes painfully cold, there will be disturbances, and the the police will have the always difficult task of quieting down people with a real grievance. The conferences downtown have been watched as closely from the outside as they could be, but the feeling of hope that the settlement of the strike would mean plenty of coal, is not so much in evidence now. It looks like every man for himself, and pitched battles over fuel are by no means an impossible contingency before the week is out.

Great Christmas Show for Pittsburgh.

Jack Huffman, stage manager of the Pittsburgh Grand opera house, is in Broadway again. He is engaging "show girls" for the pantomime which will be produced at the Grand just before Christmas. He will take 100 with him from New York, and it is the intention to have no fewer than 400 on the stage in the big scenes. Besides engaging the ballet, Mr. Huffman is procuring costumes, of which there will be 800 used in the production. Every stitch of them will be entirely new, he says, as will the scenery and other equipments. Mr. Huffman will remain here several days, and, judging by the way he was hustling this morning, he will be busy the whole time.

Where Sailors' Education Came Handy

Policemen in this part of the country often find ancient experience as seamen useful to them in their police duties. There are many ex-sailors on the force of New York, as well as other seaboard citizens. In Hoboken last night an officer named Stanton saw a man on top of a high telegraph pole stealing wire. What did Stanton do? Well, he has been a sailor, and he just shinned up that pole so quickly that the thief almost dropped off in astonishment. At the top the policeman grasped the thief and the two came sliding down together. There was some more struggling on the ground, but the thief, who said he was a lineman from Lancaster, Pa., went to prison, where he will remain 90 days. He grumbled as he was led out of court this morning: "Policmen can do so many different kinds of stunts these days that there ain't no safety from 'em, nohow."

New Rule on Policemen.

Maj. Ebstein, deputy commissioner of police, who sat in judgment at the police trials at headquarters for the first time today, made a ruling which is full of general interest. Thirteen officers were charged with allowing their photographs to be published in patent medicine advertisements in daily papers. The commissioner said it was a breach of police discipline, and that he will punish offenders hereafter. He left the 13 go, however, which rather suggests that that number is not unlucky every time. It came out that the owners of the medicines paid for the photographs and that the policemen received no money for the use of their portraits. Considering that Mayor Low, Gov. Odell and other prominent officials are today mutely testifying to the excellence of a certain brand of whisky by allowing their portraits to be used in a great, staring advertisement on the billboards about the city, it seems rather hard to blame policemen for helping along medicines which may be of more benefit to humanity than intoxicating liquor.

Register or go on the Jury.

Premonitions of election are increasing from day to day. Now we are all asked to register so that we may cast our votes for Gov. Odell and the entire Republican ticket next month. Tomorrow will be the first registration day. Besides that, persons not registered will not be allowed to vote, there is a law in operation, which was passed by the last legislature, that persons who have neglected to register must do jury duty before any call is made upon registered citizens. As your every-day New Yorker hates jury duty like poison, this may have as much influence in causing him to register as his desire to cast a good, honest Republican vote.

End of the Allen's Career.

Now that The Allen, who has been called "the wickedest man in New York," is in a sanitarium, whither he was taken today, there are many persons that say he is not such a bad fellow, after all. He is suffering from mental failure, and it is generally believed that he will never be a part of New York city life again. The police have been trying to catch him as the owner of pool rooms many times these 20 years, but never have been able to bring home the offense to him. He always declared he was not guilty. He said he managed club rooms, and that the idea of the police that the clubs were only a mask for selling pools on the races and other forms of gambling was entirely false. One thing is known, that The Allen is a man of singularly urbane manners, and that he has many firm friends. He may come forth from the institution in Sayville, Long Island, to which he was taken this morning, entirely cured, but it is not likely. He is nearly 70 years of age, and this probably will be his last drive.

The Freddy Gebhard of Today.

Frederick Gebhard, he that used to be known as Lily Langtry's closest friend, sat near me in a Broadway theater last night. Notwithstanding that he has been divorced within the last few months and has seen his ex-wife become the bride of another man, he looked perfectly comfortable as he sat laughing at the comedians on the stage. He is a dark, rather saturnine man, but seems to enoy life in his own way. He has been called the "king of the dudes," in rivalry of Berry Wall; but his attire nowadays, while of good material, is always of the quietest color and fashion.

Fine Stations for the Tunnel.

Two of the stations in the rapid transit tunnel will cost $110,000 altogether. Plans for them were filed in the bureau of buildings today. They will both be in Harlem, a very long way up. Some of the stations in the downtown and upper Broadway districts will cost a great deal more, of course, but an average of $55,000 apiece for the ordinary station seems to be about the usual figure.

Travel Getting on a Winter Basis.

Trains running out of New York to nearby points are nothing like so heavy with passengers as they were a month ago. The country has lost its charm for the ordinary New Yorker who has to attend to business every day, and he and his family have settled down in their flat for the winter. The daily tripper is not so numerous, either. In the summer months and well into September, trains are always crowded, so that commuters have trouble in finding their customary seats, and usually go home in bad temper in consequence, while the trip down to town in the morning is a tumultuous horror on account of the families coming to New York on their way to Coney Island. All that is changed now. The railroad companies try to equalize matters for themselves by putting as few cars to a train as they can, but even with that they cannot crowd the passengers, and the commuter chuckles triumphantly while he can. The railroads will have the laugh again next summer.

Competition in Hybrids.

There is a desperate contest between the two animal shows now holding forth in this city. One concern made a boast that it had a hybrid animal half lion and half tiger, that was so fierce that none could go near it, and the keepers had the greatest difficulty in passing food into its cage. This gave the cue to the opposition animal arena, and one of its publicity promoters has promised to lead by a string two hybrids and prove to editors of local newspapers that a half-lion and half-tiger can be controlled as easily as any other wild beast if properly handled. It is true that the docile hybrids are admitted to be young, however. By the way, it may interest readers of The Gazette to know that the gentleman who will lead the creatures along Broadway is a very well known ex-Pittsburgher.

Football Jargon in the Hotels.

Baseball is pretty well in the background in New York, but football is very much alive. Being so near the great universities, New York has a more intimate acquaintance with the gridiron than many other cities. Go into any of the hotels in the evening and you will hear more about halfbacks, punts, rushling, tackling and other football jargon than you would think possible, except in a college gymnasium. It seems as if most people here know the game technically—or, if they do not, they pretend they do; and most of them are willing to lay heavy wagers on their favorite university teams. It is just as well, perhaps, that sport pure and simple occupies so much attention here, since it drives the daily grind of business away for a few hours in the evening, at all events.

Cheaper Coal Promised.

There is rejoicing on the East Side over the promise of the Lehigh Valley and Reading railroads to furnish tenement people with cheap coal. The distribution will begin tomorrow. Coal will be sold only by the pailful at 15 cents a pail, which pails will run 65 to the ton. This will make the cost $10 a ton. If you buy coal in ton lots now you pay $20 a ton, provided you can get any at all. If the railroad companies are able to keep their word to supply the poor continually at the rate of 15 cents a pailful all winter it will do much to lessen the chances of serious riots in this district. Unfortunately, the lower East Side is only a small corner of New York city and is too far for people to come from the upper West Side, for instance, to buy a pailful of coal. Still, we must be thankful for small mercies.

Eviction of Costly Owner of Antiques.

An unusual spectacle on Fifth avenue this afternoon was $10,000 worth of antiques and costly furniture stretched along the sidewalk, in obedience to a dispossession warrant. It was in the fashionable neighborhood, from Forty-second to Forty-fifth street. W. H. Aldrich, who has for many years been one of the prominent decorators of the city, having customers in the aristocracy to the number of several hundred, has had a quarrel with his landlord because he was behind with his rent; so he had to get out this afternoon. The goods were taken away to a warehouse this evening, but nothing would bottle up the wrath of Mr. Aldrich, and it exploded at intervals until the last bit of vertu and the last valuable chair had been taken away from the sidewalk. Then Mr. Aldrich went to dinner.

Exclusively Theatrical Club.

A new club, the membership of which will be confined to actors, managers, playwrights and others actually connected with the theatrical business, is in process of organization. It will be called the "Green Room" club. Its house will be in West Forty-seventh street, and William A. Brady will be its first president. There are several theatrical clubs in New York, but the objection is made that so many non-professionals have been admitted to them that their distinctive character has been lost. The Green Room club intends to guard carefully against this, and its membership will be exclusively theatrical.

Herbert to Write an Opera.

Victor Herbert has arranged to write an opera in which Grace Van Studiford will star, under the management of Florenz Ziegfeld. Mr. Herbert went home to Pittsburgh tonight.

Soft Coal for Ellis Island.

Bituminous coal can be obtained by certain dealers for certain things. That was shown when bids for 8,000 tons for use of immigration station were opened at Ellis island yesterday. Five dealers put in bids to supply the entire quantity at prices ranging from $4 50 to $6 50 a ton. This coal will be delivered month by month. GEORGE C. JENKS.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

WALDORF-ASTORIA.
J. Hoeveler, J. W. Hubbard.
Mrs. W. A. Hoeveler, J. G. Patterson.
Miss Walker, D. H. Collins.
W. J. Morris.

MANHATTAN.
Dr. M. D. Ritchie, R. D. Kuhn.
Mrs. M. D. Ritchie.

ROSSMORE.
J. Fraser.

NORMANDIE.
W. B. Worth, Mrs. W. B. Worth.

HERALD SQUARE.
R. M. Morris, Mrs. D. W. Moon.
D. W. Moon, L. J. Affelder.

IMPERIAL.
J. F. Murray, Miss Bryan.
F. W. Stonecipher, E. J. McElver.
Mrs. F. W. Stonecipher, A. C. Daft.
Mrs. S. A. Bryan, A. F. Blair.

GRAND.
W. J. Morris, Mrs. M. J. Bishop.
M. J. Bishop.

HOLLAND.
Miss M. F. Laughlin, C. E. Clapp.
R. M. Holland, Mrs. C. E. Clapp.
Mrs. Holland.

VICTORIA.
J. P. Sanquist, Jr., Robert Miller.

GILSEY.
John W. Hubbard, M. O. H. Wood.

ASTOR.
Jas. H. Baker, P. M. Young.
J. F. Walsh, T. H. Huffman.
J. N. Thomas, A. O. Myers.

Lipton's Third Challenge.

From the Philadelphia Inquirer.

The redoubtable Sir Thomas is after that cup again and feels that he is twice armed in having for designers cojointly the two men who have already failed in his behalf. We trust that there will be a new American boat built, since there is no reason to think that the Shamrock III will be less swift than her latest namesake, and she may be faster. The last contest was too close for comfort. We want to keep that cup, but if it so happens that Sir Thomas wins it in a fair contest it is his and joy go with him. He will have to work harder to keep it than he did to get it, but it is no more than right than after 50 years of contests the scene of operations be transferred to the other side of the Atlantic.

"No Political Significance."

From the Philadelphia Press.

Whenever a citizen of Pittsburgh comes to Philadelphia he has to leave word with his home newspapers that the trip has no political significance, and more than half the time they don't believe him.

Signs of the Millennium.

From the Detroit Free Press.

When the esteemed Chicago Chronicle can stop swatting the administration long enough to refer to Theodore Roosevelt as "the people's president," it's not worth while waiting for any more of the millennium.

PERSONALS.

P. T. Berg, for many years chief mechanical engineer of the Homestead steel works and in recent years consulting mechanical engineer for the Carnegie Steel company, left yesterday for Sweden, his native country, where he will reside. He resigned owing to ill health. Mr. Berg came here a young man, and rose steadily until he became a Carnegie partner, and is estimated to be worth half a million dollars. He is the author of a number of inventions in use in the Homestead mills. Mr. Berg is succeeded at Homestead by R. H. Stevens, who becomes chief mechanical engineer at 30 years of age.

The Rev. Dr. W. B. Rogers, professor of Hebrew and Old Testament exegesis at Drew Theological seminary, of Madison, N. J., is in Pittsburgh to address the Methodist Episcopal conference today. Dr. Rogers is an authority on biblical archaeology and has written five works on the antiquities of Babylon and Nineveh. He is a graduate of the university at Leipsic, and has traveled extensively throughout the world. His address today is held in eager anticipation by the members of the conference.

"Hey! Is the coal strike settled?" Half a dozen men traveling on the Pennsylvania limited last night opened the windows of their cars and shouted to every person they met on the Union station platform. "We were told at Altoona that President Mitchell had resigned and that the miners were going back to work in the morning," said a Cincinnati coal dealer.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

Persons from neighboring towns registered at Pittsburgh hotels yesterday as follows:

Monongahela—D. A. Garden, Steubenville, O.; George B. Kaine, R. F. Hopwood, Uniontown; E. G. Roberts, Moundsville, W. Va.; R. L. Cunningham, Fairmont, W. Va.; Charles H. Madera, Morgantown, W. Va.; J. F. Jackson, California.

Henry—L. S. Miller, California; J. F. Pfeffer, Altoona; O. C. Walker, East Palestine, O.; J. M. Dean, Hollidaysburg; Irwin Horrell, Canton, O.; W. L. Goodhue, Wheeling; W. J. Harper, Meadville.

Duquesne—George M. Sullivan, F. G. Caldwell, Wheeling; F. E. Johnson, Greensburg; H. P. Boyd, Parkersburg; E. R. Hammond, Bolivar; E. S. Hackey, Uniontown; F. W. Edmondson, Fairmont.

Lincoln—Charles W. McLaughlin, Latrobe; N. E. Graham and wife, East Brady; E. L. Meadows, Wheeling; W. A. McClurg, Meadville.

Victoria—A. M. Knight and wife, Fairmont; C. B. Wishart, Wheeling; Charles Daugherty, Grove City; C. W. Kline and wife, Mercer.

Anderson—Frederick Martin, Linesville; D. G. Morrow, Scottdale; W. J. Jack, Wellsville, O.; H. A. Adams, Canal Dover, O.; R. C. Taylor, Wooster, O.; G. W. Spalter, Fayette City; James K. Anderson and wife, Erie; F. E. Cook, Warren; William C. Kreiger, Johnstown.

Seventh Avenue—J. M. Shannon, Clarion; A. P. Huffman, Bentleyville; H. B. Cook, Dennison, O.; E. A. Steeg, Wellsburg, W. Va.; Stephen Heinitz, Parker; George Wild, Johnstown; J. W. Caldwell, J. H. Caldwell, Titusville; H. L. Quinn, Mingo, O.; J. W. Reed, Theodore R. Moss, California; C. C. Risher, East Brady; S. B. Riker, Alliance, O.; J. O. Sharp and wife, Madison; J. W. King, W. A. Rutledge, Youngstown, O.; J. M. Grant and wife, Emlenton.

Newells—M. H. McClain, Uniontown; George D. Thompson, Brownsville; Philip Ekas, Salem, W. Va.; Frank Whelan, N. B. Frazer, Weston, W. Va.; J. S. Fell, Uniontown; C. M. Shaw, Clearheid, W. P. Kelley, Windber.

THE DEATH ROLL.

James H. McGowan.

James H. McGowan died yesterday at his home in Washington, Pa., of heart trouble, aged 74. He had been in his usual health and was reading a newspaper, when he fell from his chair. Mr. McGowan spent his entire life in and about Washington. February 10, 1854, he was married to Elizabeth Hughes, daughter of D. T. Hughes of New York, and their children are Mrs. Richard Wilson of Pittsburgh, Albert A., Eliza I., Warren B., Lizzie A., Edwin R. H., James H., Jr. and Etta W., all of this county. Mr. McGowan was a Republican and held many offices of trust in Washington county.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Samuel Craig, 74 years old, a well-known resident of Parkers Landing, Pa., is dead at her late home at that place.

Thomas Glancy, 25 years old, a former member of the McKees Rocks police force, is dead at his late home in West Park, McKees Rocks.

Thomas Willard, Sr., 75 years old, a veteran contractor and builder of Esplen, is dead at his late home, No. 220 Orchard street. He was a member of the Esplen United Presbyterian church.

Henry Klanke, 84 years old, a well-to-do farmer of Baldwin township, is dead at his late home at Carrick. He was a member of the Carrick Methodist Episcopal church and had lived in the township 60 years.

QUAY IN A NEW ROLE.

How a Florida Farmer Sized Up the Beaver Statesman.

From the Minneapolis Journal.

Senator Quay of Pennsylvania is not a laughing man. He rarely lets anything move him beyond the twinkle in his eye, but a Florida farmer's impression regarding him made him "let loose." The senator returning from a fishing trip to his bungalow at St. Luce, Fla., rode in an accommodation train, and the farmer sat beside him and questioned him. Quay's knowledge of countryside gossip proved limited and discouraging.

"Don't belong in these parts, do ye?" said the farmer. "Don't know much about Floridy, do ye?"

"I have been here several times in my wanderings," said Quay.

"And what might be the reason ye air wanderin'?"

"I am trying to ameliorate the condition of man—the inner man," replied Quay, solemnly.

The farmer moved to another seat and remarked to the man beside whom he sat: "Talked to that feller back thar a good bit 'fore I found out he was one o' them dern faith healers."

RURAL FACTS AND FANCIES.

A Jamestown boy found a strange appearing cat in the kitchen the other day and poked it with a stick. The family has moved.—Meadville Star.

The nights are growing colder and turkeys are roosting high, but they will come down in time to be present at the Thanksgiving dinner to be given by the ladies of the Baptist church on Thanksgiving day.—Vandergrift Citizen.

Homer Parks of near Shelocta had a cow which was very fond of corn. One day last week she got into his cornfield and ate too much corn. She returned to the barn in the evening and died the following day. She was the best cow Mr. Parks had on the farm.—Indiana Times.

Isaac Buckingham boasts of a sow which has given birth to pigs as follows: January 14, 1901, five pigs; September, 1901, 11 pigs; March 8, 1902, 17 pigs; September 28, 1902, 15 pigs. Can anybody beat this record for a sow not yet three years old? She was the "runt" of her family, too.—Waynesburg Messenger.

A citizen from one of the remote mountain districts was in town Tuesday with a supply of buckwheat flour, the first of the season. He disposed of it at three cents a pound. When asked if the supply would be equal to the demand, he stated that it would not. Many farmers, he says, have lost their entire crop by wet weather. Others lost heavily by fire. These buckwheat flour stories don't always "gee" well. The first fellow down usually tells a dismal story about failure of the crops. It enables him to get a better price for what he has to sell.—Uniontown Genius.

J. S. Beazer, a well-known farmer of Stark county, related to a Repository reporter a story of fasting done by a pig. Mr. Beazel said that on August 6 he threw down part of a hay stack, preparatory to threshing grain, and placing more straw on the stack. The threshers started early in the morning of August 7. They built the stack. He missed the pig, weighing about 50 pounds, and could not account for it until September 14, when it managed to come from under the stack. It had been covered up for 39 days. When it emerged it was so weak it staggered, but it finally came about all right, and is in good condition now.—Canton Repository.

TROUBLE CAUSED BY TELEPHONES

An Indispensable Convenience Has Drawbacks Peculiarly Its Own.

PEOPLE are often given to wonder how the affairs of this busy world were managed before the telephone came into common use, and to speculate upon the possible result of the removal of this popular convenience, could this happen. But there are others who find the talk wire exceedingly annoying under some circumstances. Of late years many ministers have telephones in their residences, often placed there by the churches they serve. One local pastor had this to say regarding his experience:

"Undoubtedly the telephone facilitates the transaction of business, both among the laity and the clergy, but there are times when one wishes he did not have one in his house, and would rather go to a little extra trouble to attend to his own affairs that he might be saved from the annoyances of thoughtless and inconsiderate people. Many times I am called up to give information for which there is really no need, and to reply to unimportant questions people would not ask if they had to put themselves to any trouble to give them attention. I am called up at all hours, day and night, to tell some person the state of health of some of our sick. Another wishes to know some particular detail in regard to church history which requires my looking over the records, as it may have happened during some preceding pastorate. Many other trivial matters make demands upon my time, often when it is most inconvenient to attend to them. I was called away from the dinner table one evening to reply to an interrogatory as to where the Sunday School picnic was held three years ago, to "decide a discussion," which I hope was not a true. But the climax was reached the other night. It was after midnight, and I was in bed. The telephone bell rang, and I answered it. One of my members was at the other end, and asked me where in the scriptures he could find a certain passage, which was running in his head, and he could not get to sleep until he found where it was located. This was a little too much, and I told him so. He was very huffy, and told me he thought it was my business to advise my parishioners on religious matters at all hours, day or night. That I was the soul's physician and should expect to be disturbed at any time the same as a medical man. I quickly responded that if his soul's salvation depended upon my getting up in the small hours of the morning, I would gladly do so, but

IOWA PLATFORM NOT PATENTABLE

Gov. Cummins Says Idea Is Joint Property of All Republicans.

PARTY OF PROGRESS

Speaker Analyzes the Various Planks and Declares Time Has Come for Revision of Tariff Schedules.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Chicago, Oct. 9.—Gov. Albert B. Cummins of Iowa was the leading speaker at the banquet of the Marquette club tonight, his subject being "The Iowa Platform and the Tariff." Secretary of the Navy Moody talked on the needs of the navy. Both were enthusiastically received. Gov. Cummins said in part:

The first sentence in the platform, relating to this topic, reads thus:

"That we stand by the historic policy of the Republican party in giving protection to home industries, and point for its ample vindication to the extraordinary rapidity with which our national resources have been developed and our industrial and financial independence secured."

And in all its length and all its breadth we mean just what we said. We believe that to the doctrine of protection more than to any other principle of government, is due the commanding position so brilliantly won and so firmly held by the United States in the affairs of the world.

Permit me to quote two succeeding sentences upon the same subject:

"We favor such changes in the tariff from time to time as become advisable through the progress of our industries, and their changing relation to the commerce of the world. We address the policy of reciprocity as the natural complement of protection and urge its development as necessary to the realization of our highest commercial possibilities."

Believes Time Has Come.

This is but a paraphrase of the last national platform, nearly every state platform and but breathes the spirit that gave to the final utterance of the immortal McKinley so lofty a place in the literature of statesmanship.

That changes would become necessary or advisable no Republican has ever doubted and therefore the significance of the lines I have just read is not to be found in the language employed. It is to be found in the fact that this platform was adopted under circumstances that made it clear that the Republicans of Iowa are deeply convinced that the time has come through the progress of our industries and their changing relation to the commerce of the world, when modifications of the tariff are imperatively demanded; and if I do not misinterpret the signs of the times this belief is charged by the Republicans of 44 other states.

We do not impeach the schedules as they were written—they were inspired by patriotism and formulated with intelligence—but if the hand of God instead of the hand of Dingley had penned them, the mighty transformations of five years would have unfitted them, or some of them, for conditions as they now exist.

Quotes Plank on Trusts.

I read again from the platform:

"We assert the sovereignty of the people over all corporations and aggregations of capital, and the right of the people to enforce such regulations, restrictions or prohibitions upon corporate management as will protect individuals and society from the abuse of power which great combinations of capital wield. We cordially indorse the position of President Roosevelt in appealing to the courts to secure regulations that will control great combinations of capital which prevent competition and control the industries of the people without sanction or public approval. We favor such amendments to the inter-state commerce act as will more fully carry out its prohibition of discrimination in rate making, and any modification of the tariff schedules that may be required to prevent their affording shelter to monopoly."

It is the last phrase which, as I understand it, has excited comment throughout the length and breadth of the country. This phrase seems to me, not only so plain and clear that it is incapable of being misunderstood, but also the statement of a self-evident truth in governmental policy. It has been accepted in some quarters as an assertion by the Republicans of Iowa that they favored the removal of tariff duties from all articles manufactured and sold by the so-called trusts.

Must Not Shelter Monopoly.

It requires a combination of gross ignorance and intense prejudice to give it such construction. The Republicans of Iowa understand the difference between all the products of combinations or trusts, and the products in which there have been established monopolies, and their declaration is that tariff duties shall not be used to shelter a monopoly.

I have been glad to hear that in this respect our platform occupies Democratic ground. If this were so, and it is righteous ground, I would not therefore abandon it. The Republican party was not born, and has not lived, to merely oppose the policy of any man or any party.

From the bottom of my heart I wish that the two parties did occupy common territory upon this great field, for the problems that are to be solved should not be vexed with partisan dispute. Unfortunately, however, it is not true that we have met upon friendly ground. The Democratic party, with the fatal facility for error which has characterized its whole career, declares for free trade in trust-made goods, just as it declares for free trade in all other things. Its proposal makes no discrimination between the wheat and the tares. I have given you the so-called "Iowa Idea." It is as true as heaven and as old as the birth of the Republican party. It is nothing more than an application of time-tried principles to the needs of a developing country. We claim for it no monopoly. It is not patentable, for it has been in common use from time immemorial and is now the joint property of all the Republicans of the United States.

BOER GENERALS DECLINE INTERVIEW WITH KAISER

Refuse to Meet German Ruler Through Courtesy of England.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BERLIN, Oct. 9.—It developed today that the Boer generals declined, in a telegraphic message, to seek presentation to Emperor William through the British ambassador. The fact has produced a commotion among politicians and courtiers. Last Monday the foreign office received a message from the generals announcing that they had not the slightest objection to applying for an interview through British government channels, and it was even understood here that the government of Great Britain was willing to countenance the interview.

On Wednesday came a dispatch saying the generals were determined not to apply to the British government, but would leave the emperor to summon them himself. This, of course, would have put his majesty in direct opposition to Great Britain, and the announcement immediately followed that the proposed interview would not take place.

A favorite idea is that Dr. Leyds, who is called the Boers' evil genius, devised the whole thing so as to strike back at the emperor for refusing to receive Mr. Kruger.

G. A. R. LADIES RECEIVED.

Mrs. Roosevelt Shakes Hands With Delegates in Washington.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Mrs. Roosevelt received about 2,000 women this afternoon at the Corcoran art gallery, those present being the women belonging to the various patriotic organizations auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic. The whole country, from Maine to California, was represented.

Mrs. Roosevelt shook hands and gave a cordial greeting to each one. She wore one of her handsome white silk gowns and was assisted by Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Knox, Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Cortelyou, Mrs. Rixey, Mrs. Loeb, Mrs. Bingham and the Misses Wilson, Jones and Hagner.

Hotel Victoria serves the best business men's lunch for 50c. Try it.

CREDIT MEN GATHER.

Monthly Meetings Were Resumed Yesterday—Passage of Ray Bill Is Urged in Resolution.

The resumption of the monthly meetings of the Pittsburgh Association of Credit Men brought together a large part of the membership at the Hotel Henry at noon yesterday. President W. Given congratulated the members on the attendance and interest in the work. Papers bearing on the question of exchange of trade information were read by Messrs. George W. Ryan and J. O. Fitzsimmons. In the discussion that followed it was decided to correspond with the national association relative to the proposition to establish an exchange bureau, which is now before the respective local bodies.

The general proposition was looked upon with favor. With respect to the Ray bill, amending the national bankruptcy act, which was passed by congress, June 17 last and comes before the senate at its next session, the following resolution was passed:

Resolved, By the Pittsburgh Association of Credit Men that they desire the early consideration and passage of the Ray bill by the senate, and they further desire that no change be made in the house amendment to section 57-G, that being the particular part of the amendment for which business men and credit men have been contending.

JUDGE EVANS IS AFTER GOOD MEN

HE APPEALS TO BUSINESS MEN TO ASSIST.

Wants to Improve Allegheny County's Jury System—Farcical Experience Yesterday.

An effort is being made by Judge Evans of common pleas court No. 3, under whose direction the jury wheel will be filled next year, to improve the jury system in Allegheny county by summoning a better class of men.

Judge Evans has sent circular letters to merchants, manufacturers, bankers and others prominent in business, asking for their support. They are asked to send names of men competent to serve as jurors. A letter is also being sent to individuals, asking for names. The letter sent to employers is as follows:

Sober Intelligent Men Wanted.

I will be obliged to you if you will kindly send me the names of sober, intelligent men, who are in your employ and competent to serve as jurors in the courts of this county during the coming year. Please give me the ward, borough or township in which each reside, with the number and street. By giving this your early attention, you will oblige.

Upon the same sheet are blanks to be filled for 10 names.

In speaking of the matter, Judge Evans said: "I think a better class of jurors should be got together next year, not that those in the wheel for the present year are not intelligent enough, generally speaking, to serve, but it is my opinion that there is room for improvement. It is not for this reason entirely that I have sent out these letters. Take, for instance, a case like this: A man may be called upon to serve as a juror, and may be compelled to leave a responsible position and his absence may result in the crippling of an entire plant. This method of having the employers suggest names will prevent this confusion, and it is hoped that there will be fewer applications to be excused as a result. I think that in this way justice will be done to the employed and employer, and that in all the system will be improved."

A Sample Experience.

The judges in common pleas court No. 3 have had much trouble with the present panel. Yesterday a jury was sent back to the room three times by Judge McClung, and when it came in the last time the defect had not been remedied. In disgust the verdict was taken, but was immediately set aside.

Judge McClung remarked, good-naturedly: "I have great respect for a jury that can overrule the court."

CHAMBERLAIN FIGHTS FOR EDUCATION BILL

He Says Government Would Resign If Measure Were Defeated.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BIRMINGHAM, ENG., Oct. 9—The much-discussed conference of the Liberal Unionists, called by Colonial Secretary Chamberlain to formulate the attitude of the Birmingham Liberal Unionists toward the education bill, was held here today.

Mr. Chamberlain presided. He acknowledged that the bill was not perfect, but said the Liberal Unionists must not split on that point. He had always been in favor of the government providing only secular education, but, rightly or wrongly, the majority of the country required that religious instruction of some kind be given.

The colonial secretary had several suggestions amending the education bill so as to give safe and ample popular control. He said he could promise, however, that the bill would not be withdrawn. Mr. Chamberlain announced that if the government was defeated on this bill it would resign.

DELEGATES NAMED.

Allegheny Presbyterial Missionary Society at Sewickley Selected Members to Attend May Meeting.

The Allegheny Presbyterial Missionary society of the United Presbyterian church held its semi-annual meeting in the United Presbyterian church in Sewickley yesterday. More than 200 delegates were present.

Addresses were made by Miss N. J. Spencer of the mission of India, and Mrs. H. C. Campbell. The spring presbyterial will be held in April at the Seventh United Presbyterian church, Allegheny, and will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization.

Delegates to the Women's General Missionary society, which meets in Allegheny next May, were nominated as follows: Mrs. James Sloan, Mrs. Priscilla Davidson, Mrs. Sarah McCormick, Miss Mary Lockhart, Mrs. Joseph G. Lambie, Mrs. John T. Findlay, Mrs. T. H. Cannon, Miss Mary Marland, Mrs. James Mellon, Miss Mary Thompson, Miss Frances Johnson, Mrs. D. J. Brown, Mrs. Matilda Cunningham, Miss Margaret Galbraith, Mrs. E. S. M. Master, Mrs. Fleming Jamison, Mrs. H. Gang, Mrs. James B. Lambie, Mrs. Rena N. Simpson and Miss Sadie Walters.

MACKAY LEFT NO CREDITORS.

Letters of Administration for His Estate in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Surrogate Thomas today granted ancillary letters of administration on the estate of the late John W. Mackay, who died in London on July 20, to Mr. Mackay's son, Clarence.

The petition states that the estate of Mr. Mackay in the state of New York amounts to $2,500,000, and there are no creditors, either in this state or elsewhere.

CUBA FORGETS HER UNCLE SAM

Growing Indifferent to the Point of Churlishness to Him.

OLD SPIRIT OF MANANA

It Is Showing Itself In Delay of Approval By the Havana Government of Treaty of Friendship—Benefits Island Most.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, D. C., Oct. 9.—The situation as to Cuba is such at present as to give officials here great concern. It is feared that Cuba is drifting away, and evidence is multiplying day by day to mark the growth of a spirit of indifference toward the cultivation of friendly commercial relations with the United States that almost borders on hostility.

The best efforts of the state department thus far have failed to secure the adhesion of the Cuban government to the treaty which, by the terms of the Platt amendment, must be entered into between the two governments. The delay is all on one side, namely, at Havana, for Secretary Hay and the Cuban minister, Senor Quesada, have performed their part in drafting a treaty which it is believed carries out the intent of congress.

That treaty is now awaiting the approval of the Cuban government, which approval is withheld, not with any expressed intention of rejecting the convention, but through what is regarded here as the natural inertia of the Cubans in diplomatic matters.

This treaty includes provisions for a considerable measure of reciprocity between the United States and Cuba, and while it is true that the Cubans believe that the United States has been rather niggardly in the arrangement of the reciprocity schedules, those objections are not regarded as sufficient to account for the great delay in concluding the treaty.

However, there is no intention, it is said, to resort to any undue pressure on the Cubans, so long as there is no discrimination against the United States and in favor of another country. It is believed that as Cuba is the principal sufferer from the lack of treaty relations with the United States, internal pressure soon will force action on the pending convention.

SOLIDLY REPUBLICAN.

Burrows Says Michigan Will Elect Alger and No Democrats.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Senator Burrows called at the White House today. He is pleased with the political outlook in his state.

"Gen. Alger will be elected to the senate without opposition," said Senator Burrows. "Even the Democrats in the legislature may vote for him."

"What about the congressional elections in Michigan?"

"Let me see: There are 12 congressional districts in Michigan. The Democrats will carry all of these except 12. We will send a solid Republican delegation to the next house. If I am not mistaken the Democratic membership in the next house will be barely sufficient for a caucus and that's all."

EX-CONFEDERATE CLAIMS.

Pay Demanded for Property Taken in Violation of Surrender.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9.—In his annual report to the secretary of war, Brig. Gen. Ainsworth, chief of the record and pension division, notes that a new class of claims against the United States appeared last year, in the shape of applications by artillery and cavalry officers and private soldiers of the confederate army or their heirs for compensation for horses, side arms and baggage alleged to have been taken from them by federal troops at and after the surrender at Appomattox, in violation of the terms of surrender.

These claims, to the number of 302 already filed, have been, by authority of congress, taken under consideration.

FIRST STONE OF MEMORIAL.

It Is Presented by Stonecutters and Dedicated in Washington.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9.—The corner stone of the memorial bridge across the Potomac, to connect Washington with Arlington cemetery, was dedicated at a big open-air meeting this afternoon. The stone weighs seven tons and was cut and presented by the stonecutters' union of the District of Columbia.

Secretary Root made an eloquent speech in support of the proposed bridge. He also read a letter of regret from President Roosevelt warmly indorsing the memorial.

FATAL LOVERS' QUARREL.

Greene County Bookbinder in Washington Kills His Sweetheart.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9.—William Dougherty, a bookbinder in the government printing office, as an outgrowth of a lover's quarrel, shot and killed his sweetheart, Miss Amelia Fisher, and then committed suicide at noon today at the young woman's boarding house. Miss Fisher also was employed in the government printing office.

Dougherty was appointed to the government service from Greene county, Pa., and Miss Fisher was from the District of Columbia.

Largest Postal Increase on Record.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9.—The largest increase in postal receipts in the history of the service is shown in the reports of the 50 largest postoffices in the United States for last month. The net increase over September, 1901, was 20 per cent.

Cabinet Officer Injured.

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 9.—The minister of marine, Rear Admiral Joebnke, fell on the steps of the rigsdag today and fractured his thigh.

Ayer's Hair Vigor

Hair falling? Then you are starving it. You can stop hair-starvation with a hair-food. Ayer's Hair Vigor nourishes, feeds the hair. And the deep, rich color of early life comes back to the gray hair.

J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

RHODE ISLAND IN LINE.

Republican State Convention Strongly Indorses Roosevelt for Nomination for President in 1904.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 9.—In a short but harmonious session today the Republican state convention nominated the following ticket:

Governor, Charles Dean Kimball, Providence; lieutenant governor, George L. Shepley; secretary of state, Charles P. Bennett; attorney general, Charles F. Stearns, Providence; treasurer, Walter A. Read, Gloucester.

The platform reaffirms the national Republican platform of 1900; approves unreservedly the administration of President Roosevelt, especially his attitude toward Cuba, and declares that "his record as the nation's executive merits for him the nomination for president by the national Republican convention of 1904."

The platform points out the benefits which it declares have accrued under the protective tariff system and insisting upon the stability of this policy; recognizes "the fact that new or changed industrial conditions may naturally lead, from time to time, to a readjustment of tariff rates."

These questions are left to the judgment of a Republican congress. Trusts, in so far as they result in cheapened products, should not be condemned, but the evils growing out of such aggregations of capital should be summarily dealt with.

TEACHERS HOLD REUNION TONIGHT

THE GAZETTE'S TOURISTS MEET AT THE EXPO.

Will Gather in Music Hall and Listen to Damrosch's Music.

The school teachers who were sent abroad last summer by The Gazette and The Chronicle Telegraph, will hold their first reunion tonight, at the Pittsburgh Exposition, in accordance with the program they mapped out while away. Thousands of miles from home they decided to hold a reunion at the Exposition the first Friday night Damrosch was there, and this is the night. The Gazette has made arrangements with the Exposition society to have the teachers and their friends well cared for. The teachers will meet in the music hall before the first, or 7:30 o'clock concert. Reserved seats will be provided for them.

Yesterday was one of this season's big days at the Exposition. Excursionists were in force and last night the city people were there in such numbers that every department was crowded. Of course the great and principal attraction was the Damrosch orchestra.

That Mr. Damrosch is a pianist entitled to high honors was demonstrated last evening, when he appeared in a piano and violin duet with his concertmeister, David Mannes, which evoked thunderous approbation. For tonight he has arranged programs presenting some of the grandest of Wagner's music, one of the numbers being the celebrated "Good Friday" music, as a violin solo for Mr. Mannes, Miss Anna Bussert will sing the great "Tannhaeuser" aria, 'Dich Theure Halle."

This will be "Endeavor" and "Epworth league" night at the Exposition, and thousands of members of the two organizations are expected from every section of Allegheny county. The picturesque drill of the Protected Home Circle last night, gave rise to any number of delighted comments. Mr. Damrosch's splendid program for this afternoon follows:

2 P. M.

Suite, "L'Arlesienne" ..... Bizet
Marche "Militaire" ..... Schubert
Waltz, "Wedding Bells" ..... Strauss
Violin Solo, "Adagio Pathetique" ..... Godard
Mr. David Mannes.
(a) Scherzo ..... From "Boabdil" Moskouski
(b) Malaguena ..... From "Boabdil" Moskouski

4 P. M.

Overture, "Leonore No. III" ..... Beethoven
Nocturne in E Flat ..... Chopin
Soprano Solo, Micaela's Air from "Carmen" ..... Bizet
Miss Anna Bussert.
(a) "Dance of the Furies" ..... Gluck
(b) "Dance of the Blessed Spirits" ..... Gluck
Ballet Music, "Feramors" ..... Rubinstein

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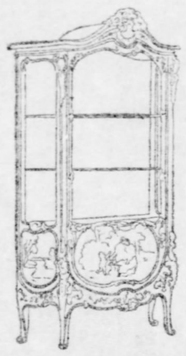
(McElveen Furniture Co.)



Gold Cabinet for the Parlor

Just as bright colors should be used sparingly in a picture, so should particularly rich pieces of furniture be so disposed as not only to appear unobtrusive, but also to make the other articles in the room the more attractive.

The Gold Cabinet shown above is a good example of the elegance which one may add to an interior. This Cabinet displays a wealth of ornate detail which everyone should see who is interested in making the parlor richly effective without ostentation.

Whatever you may wish to keep in such a Cabinet, you cannot but admire this exquisite example of the artist's handiwork.

Specifications: Gold Cabinet, 34 inches wide, 5 feet 8 inches high, plate glass shelves; mirror back; hand painted decorations; best gilt trimmings.

The fact is, this store's display of parlor furniture is a sight which persons of artistic tendencies never tire of—it is both distinctive and varied—and as price is always an inducement at this store it is little wonder that most particular persons prefer to come to

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Our Seventy "Consolation Specials" Cause Jubilation.

DID you ever accept an invitation to a lunch and find yourself at a feast? That's what happened to the thousands who came to "The People's Store" yesterday in quest of Patterson Dry Goods Company's bankrupt goods. The stocks we bought of the Receiver Tuesday, and paid for, are tied up by an order of the court. But the "Fair Equivalents" we are giving this week are so much better that those who came yesterday to investigate remained to jubilate. And they'll all be back again today—and tomorrow—and will bring their friends with them. So if you want to get your share of the good things come quickly.

We replace some of the lines completely sold out yesterday with these 26 additional features:

ARE YOU PLANNING TO RE-TRIM YOUR LAST SEASON'S HAT?

Hundreds of women and girls between now and Monday will brighten up last Winter's Hat with fresh ribbon, a new pompom, a cabochon or a wing, and make it do for "best" for a month or two, and then use it for everyday wear the rest of the winter.

We will re-trim this hat for you, if you desire, for 50c (providing you don't want too much done), or will transform it into this season's shape and make it essentially new for a dollar or two.

But perhaps you're one of those gifted women with skill enough to do this work yourself. If so, here are the trimming materials ready for you now in our Millinery Department (second floor).

WINGS—All colors, including black, white and fancy combinations, 10c to $2 a pair.

QUILLS—All lengths and colors, 10c to $1.

BIRDS that are lifelike and pleasing, 39c to $4.50.

HECKLE BREASTS—Blue or red, large size, 25c; finer breasts at all prices up to $2.50.

OSTRICH TIPS—Black, white and colors, 50c to $5.

OSTRICH PLUMES—Real Cape Town products, grown to glossy fullness under the African sun; black or white, $3 to $7.50.

OSTRICH POMPOMS—With aigrette centers; black, white or combinations of black-and-white, $1.50 to $2.25.

POMPOMS in silk, coque feathers and chenille, all colors and sizes, 35c to $1.50.

MILLINERY ORNAMENTS—Buckles, slides and cabochons, in jet, cut-steel, pressed steel, enamel and rhinestone, all the artistic designs and new effects at low prices.

VELVET FLOWERS AND FOLIAGE—Almost perfect copies of French novelties at modest figures.

MILLINERY RIBBONS—In soft Liberty and rich Taffetas, in plain colors, plaids, changeable effects and overshot devises, 25c to $1.50 a yard. Silk Velvet Ribbons in all of the popular shades.

PIECE VELVETS—Plain Silk, Mirrored and Panne, black, white and all colors, $1 to $3 a yard.

VELVETEENS—Splendid quality, in black and colors, 50c to 75c a yard.

MILLINERY SILKS—Taffeta, Liberty, Moire, Louisine and India, 50c to $3 a yard.

GAUZY MATERIALS—A full line of chenilles, Liberty Silks and Malines, all colors, 50c, $1 and $1.50 a yard.

HAT DRAPES—Chiffon and Liberty Silk Veils for ready-to-wear Hats, in white, black and chenille dot effects; also some very pretty new ideas in chenille circlets and diamond squares (1½ yards long) for 75c, $1 and $1.50.

UNTRIMMED HATS—Plain Felts, Scratch Felts and Camel's Hair Felts—black, white and all colors—soft shapes, turbans, shepherdesses and all the novelty shapes—some velvet bound and some felt bound. Prices, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50 and $2.50.

READY-TO-TRIM HATS—The correct shapes in Camel's Hair, Velvets, Fur Felts, Silk and Chenille. Prices, $1 to $5.

CHILDREN'S SHAPES—Plain and Scratch Felts, Fur Felts and Beaver. Prices, $1 to $3.50.

DRESS SKIRTS AND WALKING SKIRTS—Seven-gore flare, newest style flounce and seven-gore pleats, all-wool cheviots, homespuns, mohairs and Sicilians—black, navy, royal, brown, tan, light gray and dark gray. Regular $5 Skirts for $3.50, Friday and Saturday.

CHILDREN'S AND MISSES' "MONTE CARLO" COATS—In tan, blue, castor, brown and dark red—double-breasted—heavy material—stitched velvet collar—new full sleeves—sizes 10 to 14 years. Bargains at $5—worth $6.50—yours Friday and Saturday for $3.50.

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S OUTING HATS—Plain and scratch felts, trimmed with wings, velvet and quills. Friday and Saturday for 49c.

TABLE DAMASK—Fine bleached Union Table Damask, 66 inches wide, in leaf patterns and separate figures, our regular 50c quality, for 33c Friday and Saturday.

WHITE BED SPREADS—Soft Cotton, in handsome Marseilles patterns, bound on the edges, retail regularly for $1.25—Friday and Saturday for 69c.

AMOSKEAG AND LANCASTER GINGHAMS—Best makes—known to every woman for their renowned excellence—Friday and Saturday, 4½c a yard.

ALL-WOOL BLANKETS—Home-made Country Blankets in white-and-black and black-and-red plaids, thoroughly scoured and shrunken, worth $3, for $1.98 a pair.

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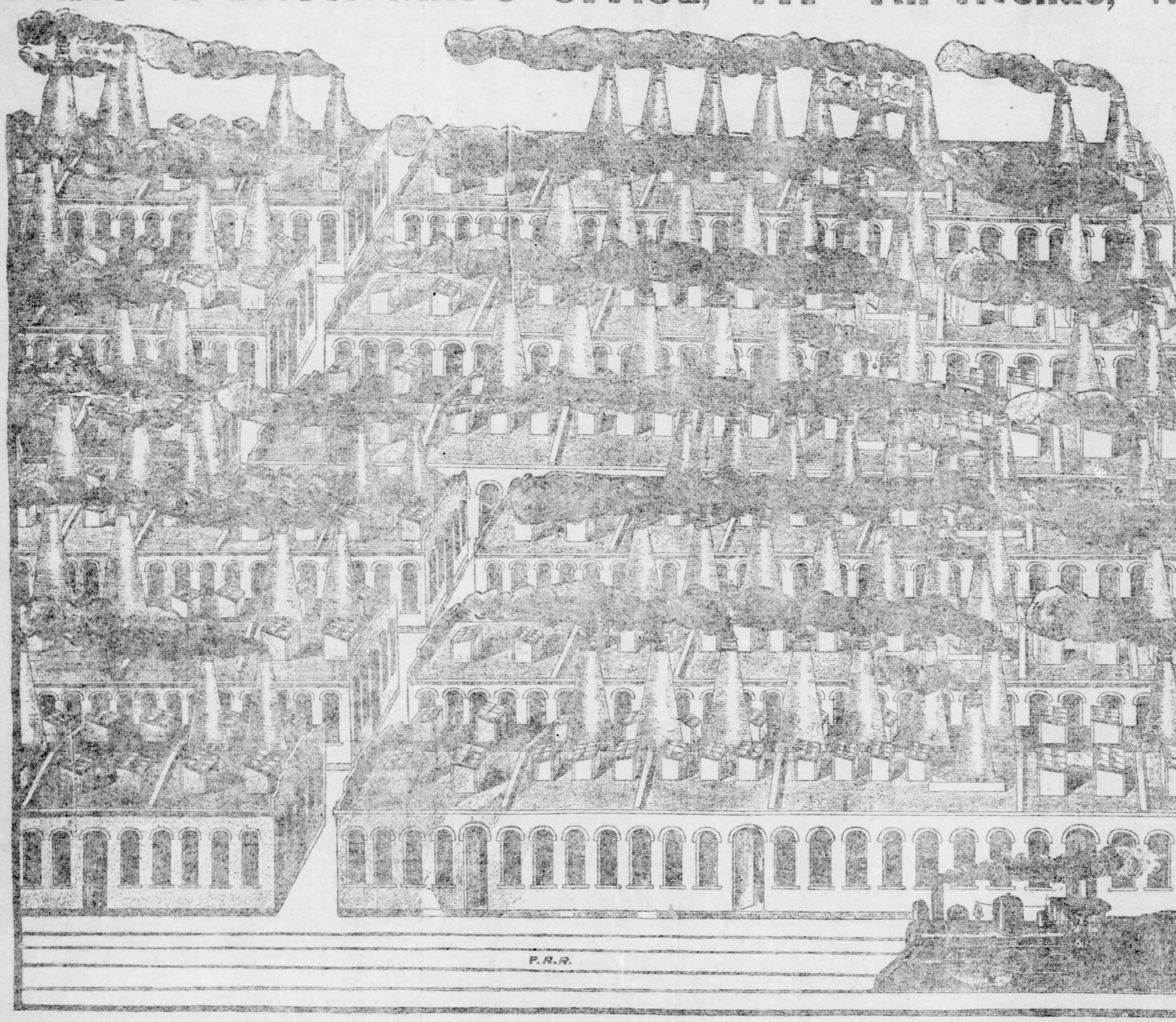

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PENNSYLVANIA MAIN LINE EASTWARD:

Leave—		
Pittsburg	9:30	A. M. Eastern Standard Time
East Liberty	9:33	" " " "
Wilkinsburg	9:51	" " " "
Braddock	9:53	" " " "
Wilmerding	10:00	" " " "
Irwin	10:13	" " " "
Jeannette	10:24	" " " "
Greensburg	10:33	" " " "
Latrobe	10:48	" " " "
Arrive		
Derry	10:57	" " " "

PENNSYLVANIA MAIN LINE WESTWARD.

Leave—		
Johnstown	9:20	A. M. Eastern Standard Time
New Florence	9:43	" " " "
Bolivar	9:55	" " " "
Blairsville Int.	10:05	" " " "
Arrive—		
Derry	10:22	" " " "

WEST PENN BRANCH PENNSYLVANIA:

Leave—		
Leechburg	7:52	A. M. Eastern Standard Time
Vandergrift	8:06	" " " "
West Apollo	8:15	" " " "
Saltsburg	8:44	" " " "
Livermore	9:06	" " " "
Blairsville	9:20	" " " "
Leave—		
Blairsville Int.	9:27	A. M. Eastern Standard Time

Connecting with main line from Johnstown at Blairsville Int. for Derry at 10:05 A. M.

SOUTHWEST BRANCH PENNSYLVANIA:

Leave—		
Uniontown	7:10	A. M. Eastern Standard Time
Connellsville	7:50	" " " "
Scottdale	8:12	" " " "
Greensburg	9:00	" " " "

Connecting at Greensburg with special excursion train from Pittsburg.

CLEVELAND & PITTSBURG DIVISION:

Leave—		
Wellsville	6:35	A. M. Central Standard Time
East Liverpool	6:51	" " " "
Beaver	7:35	" " " "
Rochester	7:45	" " " "

Connecting with special excursion train at Pittsburg.

ERIE & PITTSBURG DIVISION:

Leave—		
New Castle	7:25	A. M. Central Standard Time
Beaver Falls	8:04	" " " "

Connecting at Pittsburg with special excursion train.

INDIANA BRANCH PENNSYLVANIA:

Leave—		
Indiana	8:45	A. M. Eastern Standard Time
Blairsville	9:28	" " " "
Blairsville Int.	9:36	" " " "

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MONONGAHELA DIVISION:

Leave—		
West Brownsville	6:20	A. M. Eastern Standard Time
California	6:29	" " " "
Belle Vernon	6:51	" " " "
Charleroi	6:57	" " " "
Donora	7:11	" " " "
Monon'hela City	7:26	" " " "
West Elizabeth	7:46	" " " "
East Elizabeth	7:48	" " " "
Clairton	7:54	" " " "
Homestead	8:28	" " " "

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buy choice sites and establish stores that will do a grand business. Look up the wage-earning and wage-spending records of the people who work in potteries and you will know that we are talking facts that are self-evident. Look at the handsome stores East Liverpool supports, with more than three-fourths of her population employed in the potteries. Then think what it means to locate in a new city that will be as large as East Liverpool in a few years. Growing up with the city and having an inflow of earning from the Derry real estate you buy will make you a more successful merchant. You will have more money to put into your business. You pay a few hundred dollars for a lot that will run up along with the marvelous industrial expansion to be worth thousands. But you must get in now at this first sale. You must select your business location before the lots on Harvey and Owens Avenues are all sold off.

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CHARLEROI EASY FOR CHAMPIONS

Won the Ball Game, but Lost the Trap Shooting Match.

PHELPS' FINE CATCHING

He Dazed the Upper Monongahela Boys With His Throwing to Bases and Several Runners Were Nabbed.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Charleroi, Pa., Oct. 9.—Pittsburgh was a few too many for the local ball team today. The game had not proceeded very far when it was seen the Charleroi players were clean up in the air. As it progressed they went higher, and before they settled down to business the champions had chalked up more than enough to win eight runs on 11 hits.

The home team also ran bases miserably, Phelps catching several players by clever throws to first. Once when he worked this trick the bases were filled and no one out. Instead of allowing the players on third to score he also was caught, and a moment later the man at second was caught napping.

Didn't Have to Work Hard.

Even at that the pride of the Smoky City did not have to overwork themselves. Wagner and Ritchey are each charged up with misplays that they need not necessarily have made. And in the last inning, when the boys were getting hungry and anxious to find a pie counter before their train left, Beaumont struck out, much to the edification of the crowd.

The Charleroi boys did really do some good batting, if they couldn't run bases. Jimmy Pegg, who until a month or so ago played with a 17-year-old team, managed to get three nice swats at the speedy Jones Merritt was handing out. Braunsfield and Conroy did the hitting for the Pirates, though Wagner sent one over the fence for a homer in the first and was given a hand. Both Bolig and Parkins pitched good ball.

The homer of Wagner was the only earned run the champs got. The work of Starr and Gouzzie was about the average, Smith's running catch of a long fly from Beaumont's bat cut off what looked good for three bases, and kept the champion hitter from getting a single bingle.

If Charleroi can't play ball she can shoot. Before the game a shoot between a local team and a team from the champions, resulted in a victory for the local men, the score being 96 to 63. Thompson of Charleroi had the highest score, killing 22 out of 25 birds. Wagner killed 17 and Bransfield and Beaumont 16 each.

Scored Right at the Start.

Pittsburgh scored right from the start. Gouzzie fumbled Beaut's grounder and he landed home when the only Honus sent one over the fence. The ball was going toward Pittsburgh and hasn't been found yet. Conroy doubled in the fourth, scoring on an out and Merritt's single. In the fifth pitchers were changed and it was awful, three runs coming in on two walks, a bit and several misplays. Two hits, an out and an error gave Pittsburgh its last run in the eighth.

Charleroi nailed one in the second on Osborne's single, an out and Gouzzie's double. Mathias' single and Smith's three sacker were good for another in the eighth. Attendance, 2,500. Score:

CHARLEROI.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Starr, 2	0	2	0	6	0
Gouzzie, s	0	1	1	5	2
Ortlieb, c	0	1	3	0	2
Pegg, l	0	1	2	0	0
Mathias, 1	0	0	14	2	2
Smith, m	0	1	2	1	0
Osborne, r	1	2	1	0	0
Seyler, 3	0	0	0	2	1
Parkins, p	0	0	0	7	0
Bolig, p	0	0	0	1	1
Totals	2	10	24	17	8

PITTSBURGH.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Beaumont, m	1	0	1	1	0
Burke, 3	1	1	1	1	0
Wagner, s	3	2	4	2	0
Ortlieb, 1	1	3	4	2	0
Bransfield, r	1	0	1	0	0
Ritchey, 2	1	1	3	4	1
Conroy, l	1	2	1	0	0
Phelps, c	0	1	12	2	0
Merritt, p	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	8	11	27	10	2

Charleroi	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—2
Pittsburgh	2	0	1	1	3	0	0	1	*—8

Home run—Wagner. Three-base hit—Smith. Two-base hits—Gouzzie, Ortlieb, Bransfield, Conroy, 2. Stolen bases—Ortlieb, Smith, Starr, Wagner, Sebring. Passed ball—Ortlieb. Time—1:25. Umpire—Lindsay.

SECURED ENGLISH PLAYERS.

Homestead Will Have Strong Association Football Team.

The association football team of the H. L. A. C. of Homestead will be formally organized at a meeting to be held at the gymnasium tomorrow evening after the practice to be held at Steel Works park. It is expected to have everything in readiness for the opening of the season, October 19, at Homestead, in a game with McDonald. Several well-known English players have arrived in Homestead and are now living there and will be on the team this season. Games will be arranged with McDonald, Cecil, East Pittsburgh, Roscoe, Crab Tree, Madison, Beadling and other places.

STILL SHOOTING WELL.

Lew Fleming of Pittsburgh Does More Good Work at Traps.

IRWIN, PA., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—The first day's shoot of the Irwin Gun and Game club drew an immense crowd of spectators and brought out 25 entries for the 12 events. Fleming was high man, with 169 out of a possible 180, and made the remarkable run of 70 straight. Denker was second, with a total of 163, and John Withrow, a local man, was third, with a total of 154, and Edward Brown of Irwin was close behind, with 153. The same program of events will be observed tomorrow and the entry list will be larger than that of today.

STILL AFTER THE FIGHTERS.

Law and Order League to Prevent Another Bout.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Oct. 9.—Secretary S. P. Thrasher of the Law and Order League has addressed to the members and friends of the league an open letter in which he announces the beginning of a movement to prevent the bout between Young Corbett and Austin Rice, scheduled to take place at Waterbury, November 6th.

Big Crowd at Bedford Fair Race.

BEDFORD, PA., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Over 8,000 people attended the Bedford county fair today. The races resulted as follows:

Free-for-all trotting and pacing race, purse $350:

Agno Hal, R. D. Brown	1	2	1
Jerry Hayworth, Jay Cook	2	1	2
Louise S., E. L. Stivers	4	3	3
Fred B., F. B. Sipe	3	4	4

Running race:

Christian C., Stanley Phillips	2	1	1
Tom Thumb, Jay Cook	1	2	2
McCallahan, D. Kinley	3	2	3

MANY ROOTERS GO WITH THE PIRATES

THE CHAMPIONS WILL HAVE FRIENDS THERE.

Team Starts for Cleveland This Morning to Finish Up Series With All-American Stars.

When the champion Pirates board the train at the Lake Erie depot at 8 o'clock this morning they will find over at the station awaiting them a delegation of from 100 to 200 rooters who cannot resist the temptation of a game, and will go over to the Forest city to pull for their favorites.

The two games to be played in Cleveland will be contests for blood, and the champions, in order to win, will have to put forth their best efforts. The All-Americans will be strengthened today by Lajoie at second base and Bernhard, the ex-Quaker twirler, in the box. This means a whole lot, and if the Pirates can defeat an aggregation of that kind they will be fully entitled to be called the world's champions.

Manager Clarke intends playing his regular team, and Conroy and Burke will be taken along so as to be on hand in case of emergency. There is not a player on the champion team who will admit that there is the least doubt as to today's game or the outcome of the series. The players are all thoroughly in earnest, and the Cleveland people will be given a display of fast baseball today that will open their eyes.

There are no players on the Pirates who are glad of the opportunity to paly in Cleveland, and they are Leach and Zimmer, who live in the city by the lake, and who are anxious to show their townspeople just how fast the team is that has twice won the National League championship.

It is likely that Leever and Phillippe will pitch the two games, although Chesbro may be given a chance. Just at present Happy Jack is not in the best of standing with the club officers because he has not lined himself up with the team for next season. His case still stands where it did last week. He has given the club his terms and he has the club's offer, and is still thinking the matter over, but the chances are that he will be found with an American league team next season.

President Dreyfuss will accompany the team to Cleveland, and so will Secretary Pulliam, who will look after the financial end of things for the boys.

WORKING ON WEAK SPOTS.

Pennsy's Coaches Have a Hard Job on Hand.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Pennsylvania is profiting by her showing against Haverford. "Strengthen the defense," "Improve the interference," were the watchwords on Franklin Field today when the University of Pennsylvania football squad came out for practice. When a light team like Haverford could tear holes in the Pennsylvania line, fears are being entertained as to the outcome of the Brown university and other games to follow. The squad has done so well under the graduate coaching system, several of last year's players showing a marked improvement in this work, that the Red and Blue admirers were beginning to hope that the good work so well begun would be continued.

AMONG THE AMATEURS.

Orange would like to arrange a game with some 90-pound team for October 11. Address P. P. Cotter, 1115 Kelly street, Pittsburgh, or 'phone Grant 282.

The Pittsburgh Deaf Mute A. C. will clash with Beaver A. A. on the latter's grounds Saturday. The Mutes will report at Pittsburgh & Lake Erie depot at 1 o'clock.

The Mifflin Reserves would like the manager of the Ingram Alleghany college third team, or any other 80 to 90-pound team desiring a game for Saturday call up 1169 Grant and ask for Simon. Don't bar any.

The Flavels will line up against the Sterlings Reserves Saturday, and a record game is expected. Flavel has won three straight games, scoring 47 points to their opponents' 0. The present outlook for Flavel is exceedingly fine, as all the players are down to real work.

The Meadow Tigers are without a game for next Saturday, October 11. Any teams in the 65 to 70-pound class will be accommodated. Will play at home and fare playing. Address Fred Butler, 413 Lenora street, E. E., or call up 449 East on either 'phone at dinner time.

The Sherman Senate football team has a few open dates in November, and any 50-pound team desiring games call on our grounds all up 285-R. 4 South Bell, or address Wm. P. McCombs, Twenty-first and Carson streets. The Sherman Senate team will play all their games at Southern park at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoons.

Pastime second team will practice at Central park at 7:30 sharp tonight, and the following players are requested to report: Mercer, Wies, Cunningham, Eastley, Gardner, McFoland, Roberts, H. Page, J. Page, Summerville, Cronon, Qualon and McCloskey. Pastime will play Carnegie A. C. at Kennywood park Saturday.

The Emeralds play the Monongahela City eleven Saturday. The following players must report for practice this afternoon at 2 o'clock sharp: Mackey, McCann, Knoll, Diesh, Campbell, Crowe, Shrunkey, Shevlin, Brown, McGraw, A. and W. Neadenberger and J. Keating. The above players must report at 12 o'clock sharp Saturday, as train leaves at 1 o'clock.

Shadyside Athletic club will open its season at Ingram Saturday. Shadyside will line up as follows: C. Cooper, center; Wilkinson, Santon and Blackburn, guards; Scholl, Mantum and Schwan, tackles; Downing and Oxnard, ends; Smith, Bialas and Prisall, halfs; Myler, full; J. Cooper, quarter; Scovel and Phillips, substitutes. Shadyside, as a team, would like to arrange games for November 1 and 8 with some good 90-pound team. Address J. M. Cooper, Endfield street, Pittsburgh.

The Kingsley A. A. has put in a week of hard practice in anticipation of their opening contest with the Carnegie A. C. of Braddock. The admirers of the team feel certain that they will be 85-pound champions this season. The team is working smoothly, and a great deal of the credit belongs to Mr. Seamon, a local player who is coaching the Kingsleys. As yet Thanksgiving day is still open, and we would like to go out of town to play a strong 85-pound team on that day. Address D. J. Broderick, care Shoenberger works, Pittsburgh.

The Tigers of Allegheny will meet the Brushton Tigers at Brushton Saturday, and one of the most interesting games of the year for teams in this class is expected, as both of these teams are out for the championship and have been playing up to expectations. The Tigers of Allegheny now hold the championship, having won it last year. The Tigers will practice this evening, and all players are requested to be on hand promptly. Any good 90-pound team wanting a game with the Tigers please address Wm. N. Robson, 139 Allegheny market, Allegheny, Pa.

The Homora football team will meet the Pastimes Athletic club on Saturday with a team much weakened as compared with the one on the field in the Charleroi game last Saturday. Elman, left half, will be out of the game on account of injuries received in last Saturday's game, as will also Capt. Stewart. Mullin's place will have to be filled at right halfback, he having gone to school. This will necessitate the breaking in of an entirely new set of backs. New men are also needed at right tackle and left end. McElwee having been called out with the national guard, and Binns sent home on the hospital list. Manager Baker will make every effort to fill the places between now and Saturday.

The pick of the Iron City football team of last year will be brought together for a game on Thanksgiving Day, and challenges any team in Western Pennsylvania. The Iron City's have no team this year, but all their players have had offers to play on other teams. The players have individual records of having never played on a losing side, and the boys are keeping this record up this season. Vogel is coach and fullback of the Brushton Mohawks; Rasmeldt, Gaskill and Kirby are playing on the same team; Kane is doing great stunts with the Wineteddies; Beare and Everson are with the original Fosters; Heintz is playing at Altoona; Nagle and Hein are playing on the 'varsity eleven at Georgetown, D. C.; Suppert, Crist, J. Bennett and W. Bennett are out of the game this year on account of business. All the above teams have been successful so far this season. Any team with grounds desiring to play Iron City on that date can secure a game by addressing James P. Bennett, 184 Thirty-ninth street, Pittsburgh.

OZANAM WON THE TRANSYLVANIA

Every Heat Was Under 2:10 and a World's Record Broken.

FASTEST HEAT FOR GEERS

Drove Prince of Orange to a 2:07 1-2 Mark Lowered Stake Record—Race a Grand One All the Way.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 9.—Ozanam, the brown daughter of Axtell and Ozania, today won the fourteenth Transylvania, the most classic and next to the richest stake offered by the Kentucky Breeders' association. In winning his first Transylvania Ed. Benyon has the distinction of driving the swiftest one, though Geers drove Prince of Orange the fastest heat today, lowering the record for the stake to 2:07½. John Nolan held the record for this event by trotting a heat in 2:07¾ in 1898.

World's Record Broken.

Every heat was under 2:10, and the average time broke the world's record for six heats. Prince of Orange and Ozanam both lowered their marks in the race. The time by quarters in the fastest and record heat was: 31¾, 1:03, 1:35¾, 2:07½.

Major Delmar, the heavily backed favorite, made a game finish, but had to be satisfied with third money, the horse breaking in every heat after winning the first.

The winner was very low in the pooling until the last heat. More than $100,000 went in the box on the event. Every heat was bitterly fought to the wire.

When the three heat winners appeared for the sixth heat the crowd of 15,000 was intensely excited.

Ozanam and Prince of Orange each had two heats. Major Delmar led by a half-length at the half, the other two together. On the turn all were lapped, and at the head of the stretch they were abreast. Then McDonald, driving Major Delmar, took to the whip and Benyon and Geers followed suit. Neck and neck they reached the seven-eighths, where Ozanam pulled a half-length ahead. Major Delmar fell back beaten. Prince of Oranse made a spurt and 20 yards from the wire was at Ozanam's saddle. Then both broke and they passed under the wire running. When the decision was announced the cheers were deafening.

Blind Horse Was Injured.

Rythmic cut his quarter severely in the first heat was drawn.

In the $5,000 Futurity for 2-year-olds Katherine A tied the world's record, the time of the first heat by quarters being :34, 1:00¼, 1:41¼, 2:14. She was favorite and won in straight heats. The weather was fine and track very fast. Summaries:

First race, 2:14 class, trotting, $1,000, unfinished from Wednesday:

El Rinago, br. m. (McKinney (Dickerson)	7	2	1	2	1	1
A. J. D., b. g. (Walker)	3	1	2	3	2	2
Crescent, g. g. (Curry)	1	4	19	10	5	3
The Grafter, ch. g. (Merrifield)	12	10	6	1	3	4
The Quester, b. g. (Geers)	8	6	2	4	7	r.o.
Klondike, g. g. (Gerald)	13	5	8	6	4	r.o.
Anna Held, b. m. (Benyon)	11	11	9	8	6	r.o.
Mary D., ch. m. (Hunt)	2	3	4	5	dr.	
The Merchant, ch. g. (Thomas)	4	7	7	7	dr.	
Roscoe Medium, b. g. (McMahon)	10	8	5	9	dis.	
Cherry Ripe, b. m. (Carnathan)	5	12	11	dis.		
Eyeline, blk. m. (Ames)	6	9	dis.			
Newton A., br. g. (Anderson)	9	dis.				
Invader, b. g. (Demarest)	dis.					

Time—2:15½, 2:11¼, 2:12, 2:14¼, 2:11¾, 2:13¾.

Second race, the Futurity, for foals of 1900; $5,000, trotting, two in three heats, $3,000 to winner, $1,000 to second, $800 to third and $200 to fourth:

Katherine A., b. f., by Wiggins (Thomas)	1	1				
Hilgar, b. g. (Marvin)	2	4				
Del Toro, b. c. (Benyon)	4	2				
Ozanam, ch. f. (Geers)	3	3				
Sporty, b. c. (Geers)	dis.					
Lizzie A., ro. f. (Hayes)	dis.					
Chiming Bells, b. f. (Miller)	dis.					

Del Toro and Hilgar divide second and third money.

Time—2:14, 2:15¾.

Third race, the Transylvania, 2:12 class, trotting, $6,000:

Ozanam, br. m., by Axtell (Benyon)	11	5	3	1	1	1
Prince of Orange, br. g. (Geers)	9	1	1	2	2	2
Major Delmar, b. g. (McDonald)	1	2	10	5	3	3
Miss Whitney, b. m. (L. McDonald)	3	6	2	6	9	r.o.
Francis R., ch. m. (Snow)	2	3	8	7	6	r.o.
Wentworth, blk. g. (McHenry)	6	12	4	3	10	r.o.
Dulce Cor, b. m. (Miller)	10	8	6	4	7	r.o.
Charley Mc., blk. g. (Raybould)	7	9	5	8	5	r.o.
Nutbearer, br. g. (Foote)	5	10	12	10	4	r.o.
Waubun, gr. g. (Saunder)	13	11	11	9	8	r.o.
Monte Carlo, b. g. (Eckers and Curry)	4	4	7	11	dr.	
Idolita, b. m. (Tozier)	8	7	9	12	dr.	
Rythmic, br. h. (Russell)	12	dr.				

Time—2:09¾, 2:07½, 2:08, 2:09, 2:06.

Fourth race, 2:25 class, trotting, $1,000:

Will Wilton, br. g., by Wilton, Caras	1	1				
John Patterson, b. g. (Geers)	2	2				
The Dean, b. h. (Chandler)	2	3	4			
Bugle, b. m., McCoy	8	6	3			
Edgewood Belle, blk. m., McCarthy	5	11	10			
Baron Vincent, b. g., Guyness	4	9	7			
Fairview Chief, b. g. (Kinney	7	4	6			
Patchwood, b. h., Deryder	6	7	8			
Hugh Wynne, b. g., Marvin	10	8	9			
Director Bell, blk. h., Purnell	11	10	7			
Voltaire, b. g., Greenwade	9	5	ds			
Guy Fortune, ch. h., Walker	ds					
Winaka, b. m., Fiter	ds					
Bonas, b. m., Ryan	dr					

Time—2:16½, 2:16, 2:14½.

Fifth race, 2:19 class, pacing, 2 in 3 heats, $1,000:

Dorothy Wilton, b. m., by Wilton, Cares	1	1	
Tom Keene, ch. h., Swearinger	2	4	
Darkaway, blk. h., Raybould	9	2	
Dr. Madora, ch. g., Hudson	3	3	
Tommy Mack, b. g., McCarthy	6	8	
Pura Gold, ch. h., Jones	4	7	
Hard Case, br. g., Carnathan	5	6	
Affie, br. m., Gaitsgill	7	9	
The Judge, b. g., Stahl	8	8	
Katie Mastin, b. m., Kinney	10	ds	
Acrobat, b. g., Mares	dr		
Air Castle, ch. m., Greenwade	ds		

Time—2:09¼, 2:10.

Sixth race, wagon race, trotting, 2 in 3 heats, cup; amateur to drive:

Alice Barnes, b. m., by Election, E. E. Smathers	1	1
Frankie, b. g., J. Jones	2	3
Imogene, ch. m., C. K. G. Billings	4	2
Peko, b. m., H. K. Devereaux	3	4

Time—2:16¼, 2:11.

Muldoon in Trouble.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—(Special.)—William Muldoon figured as the defendant while prize fighters, actors and other prominent New Yorkers were witnessing a suit brought by Mrs. Marie Carbart against Muldoon before Justices Garretson at White Plains today, for $2,500 damages to her property.

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MATHEWSON JOINS PITTSBURGH TEAM

GREAT PLAYER HAD HIS FIRST PRACTICE.

He Will Be in Saturday's Game at Colosseum—Datz Lawlor Will Also Join the Eleven.

Christy Matthewson, the star football punter, joined the Pittsburgh eleven in training yesterday at Greensburg, and the big New York twirler will be in Saturday's football game between the Pittsburgh eleven and the P. R. R. Y. M. C. A. team at Colosseum park, Allegheny. Datz Lawlor, the giant guard, is expected to reach Greensburg today, and he will likely be in the line for the local eleven against the Philadelphians. The P. R. R. Y. M. C. A. team outweighs the Pittsburghers, and as the easterners are all former college players they thoroughly understand the fine points of the game.

This will be the opening game for the Pittsburgh team, and followers of the gridiron game will have an opportunity to compare it with the Homestead All Stars of the past two seasons.

Coach Richardson is of the opinion that the Pittsburgh eleven will be as strong as any that has represented this city in the past. He says with Shirring, center; Kerkhoff and Lawlor, guards; Lang and McNulty, tackles; Schrontz, Donohue, Miller, Hare, ends, and Crolius, Miller, Richardson and Matthewson behind the line, he sees no reason why the team should not be a winner. They are all players of experience, and any team that beats them will know they have been in a football game.

The officials for tomorrow's game will be: E. P. Young, Cornell, referee; W. W. Church, Princeton, umpire. The Pittsburgh team will have light practice today and the men will retire early so as to be in good form for the opening battle with the P. R. R. eleven.

WASH.-JEFF'S ELEVEN SCORED ON BY SECONDS

Gibson of Second Team Got the Ball on Fumble and Made Long Run for Touchdown.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, PA., Oct. 9.—In the football practice here this afternoon the W. and J. scrub team sprang a surprise on the 'varsity and scored. Gibson, who was at guard on the second team, secured the ball on a fumble and ran almost the entire length of the field for a touchdown. The goal was kicked and the 'varsity could only beat the scrubs 12 to 6. The practice today, however, was one of the best of the season, and there seems to be no doubt now in the minds of the fans that Wash-Jeff will have one of the best teams in her history.

A large crowd of fans witnessed the work of the players this afternoon, and many brilliant plays were heartily applauded. There was some change made in the makeup of the 'varsity team which it is believed will greatly better the playing. Sutter is out of the practice with a cracked rib, and Sweet, who has been playing at center, was shifted to his place on the end, while Loucks, the big guard, was put in at center in place of Sweet. McDivitt was placed at the other end, and in place of Loucks at guard McCleery was played. Coach Greene has contemplated for some time the placing of Sweet at end, and it is believed now he will make a speedy man at the position.

The back field hammered through the scrub line like an avalanche, and the line tore great holes to let them through. There was some fumbling in evidence, but every time a 'varsity man fumbled the ball the coach put them back 10 and 20 yards, and they were compelled to buck their way back down the field to regain the territory lost. The practice is of the hardest kind at present, and the coaches say there will be no let-up. The game with Lafayette next Tuesday is expected to be the best of the season on the local grounds, and as there will be many centennial guests in Washington, the attendance is expected to be a record breaker. A feature of this game will be the rooting. The different college classes have organized into rooting squads with leaders and a drum corps, which has been practicing every day, will also be in evidence.

Beaver Valley Cyclers' New Officers.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—The Beaver Valley Cyclers, a club prominent in social and sporting events, last night elected the following officers for the year: President, L. A. Styles; vice president, D. R. Wilkinson; secretary and treasurer, Charles D. Wier.

BRONX HANDICAP WON BY WEALTH

Victory Secured in Last Strides by Burst of Speed.

COL. BILL'S HARD RACE

It Took Some Great Riding to Beat Out Igniter In Seventh Meade Stakes—One Long Shot Put Through.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Oct. 9.—Wealth, closing with a great burst of speed in the last few strides, won the Bronx Highweight handicap at Morris park today by a head from Unmasked, who, in turn, was a head in front of Belle of Troy. This race brought out a first-class field of sprinters, with Dublin favorite. Daly and Dublin cut out the running to well in the stretch, where both stopped and Wealth, passing them, won driving. Belle of Troy was played for a good thing and would have had a better position at the finish, but was badly interfered with.

Col. Bill, the 1 to 2 favorite, had to be hard ridden to win the seventh Belle Meade stake from Igniter. The added starter, Oom Paul, was third. Jockey Lyne rode three winners, Reifern two and Rice one. Summaries:

First race, handicap, for 3-year-olds and up, the Eclipse course—St. Finnan, 104, Reifern, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Ondurdis, 92, Shea, 7 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Belle of Lexington, 100, Cochran, 15 to 10 and 1 to 2, third. Time, 1:00¾. Scholarie, Sweet Billie and Bastile also ran.

Here Was a Good Thing.

Second race, for fillies, 2-year-olds, last 5 furlongs of the Eclipse coure—Christine A., 110, Lyne, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, won; Gold Money, 110, O'Connor, 3 to 2 and 7 to 10, second; Sparkle Esher, 110, Shea, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, third. Time, :57¾. Futurita, Navasoto, Lady Josephine, Sweet Marjorie, Ida Nay, Lass O'Linden, Never Smile, Lady Lake, She Boban, Adriana, Roxboro and Merry Reel also ran.

Third race, the seventh Belle Meade stakes, for 3-year-olds, last 7 furlongs of the Withers mile—Col. Bill, 118, Rice, 1 to 2 and 1 to 5, won; Igniter, 118, O'Connor, 5 to 1 and even, second; Oom Paul, 112, Lyne, 6 to 1 and 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:27¼. Ex-Smasher, Spurs and Extinguisher also ran. Oom Paul added starter.

Fourth race, the Bronx high weight handicap, for 2-year-olds and up, last 6 furlongs of the Withers mile—Wealth, 122, Lyne, 7 to 1 and 4 to 1, won; Unmasked, 122, Spencer, 7 to 1 and 5 to 2, second; Belle of Troy, 108, Martin, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:14¾. Six Shooter, Slip Thrift, Alabama, Red Path, Whisky King and Emshee also ran.

Fifth race, for all ages, the Withers mile—Star of the West, 103, Redfern, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Reynolds, 103, Coehran, 15 to 2 and 4 to 5, second; Ben Howard, 106, Cramer, 30 to 1 and 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:41¾. Barouche, Flying Jib, Decoration, McWilliams, Rigadoon, Sparkle and Scorpio also ran.

Sixth race, selling, for 3-year-olds and up, 8½ furlongs, over the hill—Hermenia, 108, Lyne, 3 to 5 and out, won; Kalif, 108, Shea, 8 to 1 and even, second; Numeral, 105, Bolesna, 7 to 2 and 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:48. Major Mansir and Lee King also ran.

The Morris Park Entries for Tomorrow:

First race, hurdle, selling 1½ miles, over 6 hurdles—Sparkhana, 155; Keasy Night, 153; Marylander, 151; Angle, Sir Ellerslie Levator, Rockright, 148; Seminole, 147, Collegian, Tendeloin, Marathon, Cowslip, 142; Sir Edward, 140; Our Julia K., Gregory, Silver Twist, 133.

Second race, handicap, 6½ furlongs of the Withers mile—River Pirate, 124; Boutonniere, 114; Joe Jackson, Earl of Warwick, 108; Tom Lawson, 95; Hyria, 85.

Third race, the Protectory, selling, Eclipse course—Anak, 109; White Crest, 99; De Reszke, Saddlecee, Clorita, 98; Honolulu, Belmaro, 95; Opinator, 93; Ascension, 91; Obeswork, 90; Musidora, 85.

Fourth race, Eclipse course—Knight of Gold, Harrison Gates, Glennevis, Mount Kisco, Bonmark, Gay Dick, Mullen, Baltimore, 110; Love Note, Meddling Mary, Pride of Galore, Old Glory, Star and Garter, 107.

Fifth race, Withers mile—Judge Du Relle, Taps, Fleeting Figure, Cricketo, 115; Prosperity, Tact, Pretoria, Moon Daisy, Whisp, Knight Templar, 112.

Sixth race, handicap, 1¼ miles of Withers course—Advance Guard, 121; Herbert, 120; Royal, 108; Carbuncle, 106; Zoroaster, 105; Andy Williams, 103; Tom Kenny, 99; Hunter Raine, 96; Moor, 93; Circus, 88; Animosity, 85.

INJURED IN FOOTBALL.

Geneva College Player May Die From the Effects.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—In the football game at Marietta, O., tomorrow between the college teams of that city and the team of Geneva college, William Hill, left guard for Geneva, will not play. In the game last Saturday with Pittsburgh Hill was injured. The tissues were torn from his spine and blood clots have formed. His condition is precarious.

MATINEE HORSES READY FOR WORK

HAD A LONG REST AND ARE IN FINE FORM.

Committee Has Prepared a Fine Program of Events for Tomorrow.

It's getting pretty close to the wind-up of the racing season, and the lovers of the harness horse will have but few more opportunities to watch the trotters and pacers at work. The race committee of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Matinee club realize this, and will endeavor to make the closing matinee of the season the most successful event of the year.

Owing to the bad weather on Saturday last the races scheduled for that day had to be called off, but the program of events has been carried over and will be given tomorrow, that is if the weather man only keeps hands off. The long rest which the horses have had has put them in fine fettle, and some very spirited racing may be looked for.

The track is also in first-class condition now, and in such shape that the horses should experience no trouble in making fast time, and it may be that a new track record will be hung up. The chief events of the day, no doubt, will be the trotting event in which Louis Mac and Josephine Dixon will go after each other, and the pacing event which will bring together Shasta and Tewksbury. The committee has arranged for music and the accommodation of the public. The day's program follows:

Event No. 1—1 mile heats, trotting—Crescent, b. g.; Westwood, br. g.; John Webb, g. g.; Red Light, ch. g.

Event No. 2—Louise Mac, ch. m.; Josephine Dixon, b. m.

Event No. 3—Ember Day, ch. m.; Ramona, b. m.; Bret Harte, b. g.

Event No. 4—Minuet, ch. m.; Pearl Wilton, blk. m.; Miss Dean, b. m.

Event No. 5, pacing—Shasta, br. g.; Tewksbury, g. g.

Event No. 6, mile heats, trotting—Griffith Bel, br. g.; Wilkes Bourbon, b. g.

WAS M'CHESNEY'S RACE.

Picked Up Weight, Yet Won Phoenix Handicap Easily.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—McChesney picked up 126 pounds in the Phoenix handicap today, at Worth, and won it in a gallop from his stable companion, Caliban, with Eva third. The entry was always favorite and heavily backed, opening at 7 to 10 and forced to 41 to 20 at post time. Weather clear, track a little slow. Summaries:

First race, 6½ furlongs—A. Thompson, 103, Pieratt, 6 to 1, won; Evelyn Byrd, 110, Robbins, 14 to 5, second; Banter, 99, C. Kelly, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:23. Limelight, Judicious, Queen of Diamond and Rhodes also ran.

Second race, 6 furlongs—The Don, 102, Munro, 2 to 1, won; The Crisis, 104, Clogeson, 16 to 5, second; Laura F. M., 103, R. Steele, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:16 1-5. Foxy Kane, and Diamente also ran.

Third race, 1 mile—Waswift, 102, T. Dean, 9 to 5, won; Lucien Appleby, 102, Donnelly, 7 to 5, second; Oom Paul, 104, Pieratt, 10 to 5, third. Time, 1:41 3-5. Flying Torpedo, Talpa, Caliant, Lady Chorister also ran.

Fourth race, the Phoenix handicap, 1 1-16 mile,—McChesney, 126, Buchanan, 11 to 20, won; Caliban, 120, Donnelly, 20 to 1, second; Bragg, 104, J. Daly, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:47 4-5. Wainamoinen, Hoodwink, Marquis and Lacrimae also ran. *Coupled in betting.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs—C. B. Campbell, 110, Donnelly, 6 to 1, won; Monsoon, 117, J. Baker, 10 to 1, second; Macgyle, 105, Coburn, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:16. Sarah Maxim, Fiscarline, Duellist, Ethylene, Nitrate and Alex also ran.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles—Scotch Plaid, 100, Robbins, 4 to 1, won; Obstinate Simon, 100, C. Kelly, 2 to 1, second; Compass, 102, Donnelly, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:50 1-5. Cougar, King Barleycorn, Wyola, Whitcomb, Edith Q. also ran.

Worth entries for Friday:

First race, maiden 2-year-olds, 5½ furlongs—Nashua, Cedric, Dungee, 112; Airie B., Purple Sweet, Aylmer Bruce, Monia, Vesta, 107.

Second race, selling, mile and 70 yards—Illinois, 113; Dan Cupid, Tom Cat, Wing Dance, 109; Dodie S., 106; The Ledaean, Goldaga, 105; Leviathan, Rose of May, Birdwood, 104; Rosie Mac, Tripp, Chickadee, Blessed Damozel, 102; Mame Westell, 97.

Third race, selling, 6 furlongs—Delmarch, 112; Fake, 108; Selen, Geyser, Tille, 107; Silver Fizz, Montanic, 103; Fairbury, 102; Orla, 99; Little Gem, Annu, 98.

Fourth race, mile—Nitrate, 109; Pink Coat, Dr. Rice, Sportsman, Moore, 106; The Lady, La Goleta, Patunta, Eva Rice, Macgyle, 103; Water Edge, 102.

Fifth race, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—Pericles, 108; Speculum, Dr. Rotunus, 102; Prince of Endurance, Arvensis, 98; Goody Two Shoes, Whiten, 95.

Sixth race, selling

CLAIMS ITALIAN KILLED HIMSELF

Frenchman On Trial for Murder Tells Story of the Affair.

DOCTORS UNDER FIRE

Attorney Watson Confused Them on Definition of Word Used in Testimony—Fuseri Was Cut at a Picnic Fight.

Frederick Theiss, a Frenchman, is on trial before Judge Stowe charged with the murder of Donato Fuseri, an Italian.

Fuseri was stabbed in the chest at a picnic near Woodville on June 22 last and died in a few moments. Theiss fled and was found at Kewanee, Ill., living under the name of Fred Miller. Thiess speaks fluently German, Italian, English and French.

District Attorney Haymaker is conducting the prosecution and Attorney John D. Watson represents the defendant. The prosecution's witnesses were not able to testify positively that Theiss struck the dead man with a knife. They testified they saw Theiss and Fuseri in close contact, saw the men separate and the blood oozing out on Fuseri's shirt front.

Theiss' Remarkable Story.

Theiss told his story. He said he was returning home from work when he saw Fuseri rush at John Theiss, his brother, with a long knife.

"I then rushed to save my brother's life," he said, "and caught Fuseri by the arm. We struggled a moment, then he drew back suddenly and wrenched the hand, which held the knife from my clutch. His arm flew backward and I heard a thud. Then I ran. I did not know he was hurt until I looked back and saw the blood on his shirt."

Theiss was questoned closely by Judge Stowe relative to the manner in which Fuseri was alleged to have thrust the knife into his breast. With a pen handed him by the court he showed how the five-inch blade was turned upward and was sent backward by the sudden release of Fuseri's arm and hand.

Theories of the Doctors.

Drs. William Scott and Howard Clark were called in rebuttal by Mr. Haymaker to state if, judging from the course of the blade and the character of the wound it could have been self-inflicted. Both physicians stated it was possible, but not probable.

When Dr. Clark was asked sharply by Mr. Watson, "What do you mean when you say 'probable'?" the witness replied, "I don't know."

Dr. Scott was returned to the stand and asked for his definition of the word "probable," and after some hesitancy he answered, "Something unusual," with some prompting from Judge Stowe.

The same physicians in their report of the autopsy on Fuseri wrote: "There was an expression of anxiety on his countenance," in describing the dead man.

Theiss explained his trip to the west by testifying that it had been contemplated a week before the killing occurred. He had sold his beer bottling business. The trial will be continued today, when the defense will be continued.

TRYING TO REMEDY IT.

Jones & Laughlins' Answer to Suit to Restrain Ore Dust Nuisance in Oakland.

Answers were filed yesterday by the Jones & Laughlins Steel Company to the bills in equity of William J. Brown and others, owners of property in the Oakland district, who ask that the defendant company be compelled to operate its plant on Second avenue without throwing ore dust upon their property.

It is denied that between the years 1899 and 1901 the company made any changes in its furnaces. The blast furnaces were built in 1880, and from that time to the present day they have been operated in the same location. It is stated that the furnaces are constructed according to the best and most modern methods, so as to make the escape of ore dust as little as possible. In the judgment of the company its escape cannot be entirely prevented.

The names of other firms operating plants along the river are given to show the furnaces in question do not stand alone in this matter.

TWO WIVES DESERTED.

He Said to Have Married to Show Another Woman She Could.

The master in the divorce case of Richard Johnston against Annie Johnston recommends a decree.

The libellant said he met his wife at Union station on August 5, 1898, as she was about to leave the city with another man. After he looked at her she said: "I told you death would not part us, so I'm going now."

To Mrs. Johnston is attributed the remark that she married Johnston just to show another woman that she could.

The commissioner in the divorce case of Carmine Geraci against Rosanna Geraci filed his report. The libellant, who owns two stores in Allegheny, charges that his wife went back to Sicily with another man.

THE TAMANY TRIAL.

Case Against Three Alleged Schemers Is Still On.

The trial of Charles W. Tamany and Joseph Rubinsky of Wilkenbarre and Jacob Green of Pottsville, accused of using the United States mails for fraudulent purposes, occupied the day in the United States district court.

In the same court Judge Buffington appointed Henry Painter, United States commissioner at Kittanning, for the term of four years, commencing October 10. O. F. Miles of Bethlehem, Armstrong county, filed a petition in bankruptcy. His liabilities are given as $2,637, with assets amounting to $2,200.

Verdict Set Aside.

The jury in the fight over the will of Mrs. Wilhelmina Seker of Allegheny returned a verdict for the plaintiffs, breaking the will, but Judge McClung set it aside. There were two questions—one of the testamentary capacity of the decedent and the other of alleged undue influence. Judge McClung gave binding instructions for the estate on the question of undue influence and left the other one with the jury.

Today's Trial Lists.

Criminal court—Commonwealth vs. Henry Trifold, F. C. Stevenson, John M. Pinkard, Charles Luffey et al., John Krobet, Joseph Brown, Michael Gonivier (2), Herbert Gettles et al., Joseph Falaka, G. Dezerzka, John Krobe, Pasquette Tufarro, Joseph Beniezki et al., John Krouchewitz, James Brennan, Robert Buchanan.

Common pleas No. 1—Lloyd vs. Thomas et al.; Rice vs. Consolidated Traction Company, McArdle vs. Ryan, Voelker vs. Hall, Homickel vs. Consolidated Traction Company.

Common pleas No. 2—Hess vs. Leader Publishing Company, Ripley & Son vs. Howard, Explowitz vs. Monongahela Street Railway Company, Andrews vs. Wick et al., Shindler vs. Monongahela Street Railway Company, Zimmerman vs. Weishacher, Porter vs. Hugo, Sedforo vs. Kunz, Voelker vs. Beck & Co.

Common pleas No. 3—Peterman vs. Geyer, Rippey vs. Reserve township, Bear et al vs. United Traction Company, Noble vs. Monongahela Street Railway Company, Harrison et al vs. Borough of Wilkinsburg, Stewart vs. Joynes, Braun vs. Consolidated Traction Company.

New Suits Filed.

New suits were entered as follows:

Plaintiff	Defendant	Action.
COMMON PLEAS NO. 1.		
Columbian Fire Proofing Company	L. C. Bridge	Tres.
Friend & Co.	Edward Bohn	Ap.
Same	Mrs. E. M. Denton	Rep.
Mary A. Grayson	American Relief Association	Assp.
Samuel H. Grubbs	Sarah B. Shoop	Sci. fa. ratge.
COMMON PLEAS NO. 2.		
Samuel Markle	William Farnsworth et ux	Jdgt.
National Cash Register Company	John A. Lang	Ap.
COMMON PLEAS NO. 3.		
Mansfield Manufacturing Company	J. K. Moss	Ex. att.
Rosa Ann Glasser et al.	Glenwood Railroad Company	Eqty.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

Mary B. Hallman, trustee, got a verdict of $10,000 against the city of Pittsburgh for damages to property on Walnut street.

Executions were issued as follows: H. C. Litzinger vs. H. M. McCall, $50 68; West End Savings Bank vs. C. M. McDonald, $75.

The East Duquesne Land Company was awarded $7,500 damages against the Pittsburgh & Connellsville Railroad Company for property taken.

Three bills in equity were filed yesterday by Rosa Ann Glasser and others against the Glenwood Railroad Company to restrain it from entering upon land in the Twenty-third ward.

The defense opened its case in the $75,000 damage suit of McNeil & Bros. Co. against the Crucible Steel Company of America. It is claimed the plaintiffs' plant was injured by an explosion at the defendant's mill.

MR. GUTHRIE'S COURSE.

His Connection With the New Charter Bill Explained by Mr. McClintock.

To the Editor of The Gazette:

Sir:—Your editorial of this date upon "Mr. Guthrie and the Ripper" states that while "Mr. Guthrie may not have personally favored the ripper clause, it is a fact that he accepted it as a part of the bill and labored for the passage of the measure, ripper and all," and that "when the bill had become too deformed by amendments to be accepted as a fulfillment of reform pledges, and The Gazette was upon the point of rejecting the amended bill altogether, Mr. Guthrie personally appealed to The Gazette to accept the bill as the best that could be gotten under the circumstances." Your conclusion that therefore "Mr. Guthrie did help to pass the ripper bill and Judge Pennypacker was not misinformed and has nothing to take back," begs the question and is not proven either by Mr. Guthrie's action as quoted or by all the facts in the case.

A brief outline of the charter history and Mr. Guthrie's relations to it will doubtless be of interest at this juncture.

Because of the failure to open the ballot boxes in the election contest of 1896, the indignation of the citizens of Pittsburgh found expression in a large mass meeting which was held in Old City hall. The friends of good government there resolved to continue the struggle against the machine city government, and to begin at once the agitation for a new city charter. The Quay Republican faction offered their sympathy and support. Lieut. Gov. Walter Lyon making the chief address at this mass meeting, originating in it the "ripper" proposition and calling for its adoption by a rising vote. Mr. Guthrie had been proffered the appointment of mayor in the event of the passage of the proposed "ripper bill," but he declined to "go along" as a matter of principle, and although present upon the platform, remained seated during the taking of the rising vote.

At the instance of the Citizens Municipal league David Bruce drafted a new charter for cities of the second-class, which was approved by the chamber of commerce. On the request of Senator Quay, W. B. Rodgers also drafted a charter. This having Senator Quay's personal promise of aid was substituted for the Bruce charter and was urged upon the legislature under the joint auspices of the Citizens Municipal league and the chamber of commerce. At the same time Lieut. Gov. Walter Lyon had a reclassification bill separately prepared to accompany the charter bill, making Pittsburgh a city of the first-class and containing a ripper clause.

In spite of the prodigious efforts put forth by the people of Pittsburgh, in behalf of a new charter, and in the face of the oft repeated promises of Senator Quay and his lieutenants that it would be passed, it was throttled in committee after a deal had been arranged with the Pittsburgh "organization." It had been prepared for use as a "political club," and after it had served its purpose was thrown into the waste basket, without reaching a vote by the legislature. In the legislature of 1899 a similar effort was made, the ever faithful W. S. Guffey of the chamber of commerce charter committee being conspicuous for his persistent devotion to the cause and for his able marshalling of Democratic votes in support of the charter bill. On receiving a favorable signal from Senator Quay in Washington, the measure received the empty compliment of passing the house by a good majority, but, as in 1897, on an unfavorable signal from the same quarter, it failed in the senate.

In 1901 the chamber of commerce again entered the lists supporting a new charter bill for cities of the second-class drawn up by William B. Rodgers. This was unanimously approved by the chamber, including the ripper clause, although Mr. Guthrie had consistently made the effort in committee to have an early election by the people substituted for the ouster clause and the appointment of the mayor's successor by the governor. The bill having been altered and emasculated to suit the dominant Quay faction in the legislature, Mr. Guthrie was one of a committee sent by the chamber of commerce to plead for a restoration of the important provisions which had been changed. This was promised to be done after the passage of the bill, upon condition of the committee's temporary acquiescence, because of a supposed political exigency. But no action was afterward taken in fulfillment of that promise. Upon that occasion, in the presence of Gov. Stone and Senator Quay, Mr. Guthrie was asked as to his attitude upon the ripper features of the bill. He again declared his unchanged opposition to it as a matter of principle, although, in deference to the general insistence upon its retention, he had no recourse but that of silence.

In view of these historical facts it is manifestly idle to assume that "Mr. Guthrie helped to pass the ripper and that Judge Pennypacker was not misinformed and has nothing to take back."

The above recital of facts not only shows Mr. Guthrie's course to have been entirely consistent from first to last, but also shows very clearly where the onus of responsibility for the ripper has always rested. Upon every attempt to secure an improved charter for Pittsburgh, her citizens were met by Senator Quay and his lieutenants with the ripper clause as the indispensable condition of their legislative support.

In the matter of accepting the present emasculated city charter, it was to the citizens of Pittsburgh a case of "half a loaf or no bread," or, as Mr. Guthrie put it to The Gazette, "It was the best that could be gotten under the circumstances," and it was without any premonition to them of the woes that were to follow from their betrayal by the governor of their state.

The people of Pennsylvania must not overlook, or forget, that, after all, it was not the ripper clause which the dominant power in the legislature forced upon the acceptance of the despairing citizens of Pittsburgh, but the subsequent action of the governor which is the crux of the whole matter. It was his abuse of the great power entrusted to him for the relief of Pittsburgh, his "raising of the liberties of the people and trading them off, whether for money or political support," which has resulted in political chaos and completed the demoralization of our municipal government, so that its "last state is worse than the first." OLIVER MCCLINTOCK.

Pittsburgh, Oct. 9, 1902.

DRUG CLERK ARRESTED.

Samuel Strasser Charged With Forging Old Employer's Name.

Samuel Strasser, a drug clerk living in Bouquet street, Oakland, was yesterday arrested on a charge of forgery. Charles H. Haentze, a South Side druggist, made the information.

It is alleged that Strasser passed a check on Harper & Wynne, grocers at Fifth avenue and Miltenberger street. The check was made payable to himself and was signed with Haentze's name. Harper & Wynne cashed the check for Strasser, knowing that he had been in the employ of Haentze. Haentze pronounced the signature a forgery

Electric Lights in Yards to Relieve Freight Congestion

Plans were approved yesterday by the Pennsylvania Company for an immense electric lighting plant at Conway, Pa., on the Fort Wayne. The building and equipment will cost approximately $50,000, and is the first of several to be erected at important points on the system west of Pittsburgh. It is designed to supply current for electric lights to illuminate the Conway yards. Work on the structure will be started within a week.

Recently the officials of the company decided to equip all important yards with electric lights, in order to permit the men to work by night as well as day. This is a direct move toward further expediting the handling of freight and if possible relieving the congestion that exists at most of the company's yards. With a system of electric lights the officials hope to be able to keep the yard crews at work constantly, and in this way aid materially in the movement of freight.

The building will be 100x150 feet, of brick and two stories high. The material for the structure is expected to arrive in Pittsburgh within the next few days. As soon as the contract has been awarded for the proposed building at Conway, plans will be drawn up for a similar structure at Sheraden, on the Panhandle, both to be completed by January 1.

THROUGH FREIGHT TRAINS TO LAKES

Erie and P. & L. E. Make Agreement Whereby Crews Will Not Be Changed at Youngstown.

Vice President J. M. Schoonmaker of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, and Assistant General Manager Daniel Willard of the Erie railroad were in conference yesterday at Youngstown to talk over the freight situation. The question of handling freight from Pittsburgh to the lake ports was thoroughly considered.

It is reported that the officials reached an agreement whereby the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie will be able to operate trains from Pittsburgh to Cleveland without change of crews and engines at Youngstown, as under the present system. The improvements at Youngstown, the officials say, will enable them to carry out some extensive plans in the betterment of the transportation facilities.

At the conclusion of the conference a trip was made over the main line of the Lake Erie, the party arriving in Pittsburgh at 3:30 yesterday afternoon, when the local situation was considered.

DOUBLE TRACK ON C. & P.

Pennsylvania System Officials Inspect Completion of That Work and Other Improvements.

General Manager G. L. Peck of the Pennsylvania lines west, accompanied by General Superintendent W. H. Scriven of the Cleveland & Pittsburgh, went to Wheeling yesterday for an inspection of the Cleveland & Pittsburgh, the Fort Wayne and Panhandle main line tracks. Some extensive improvements are about to be commenced on the Cleveland & Pittsburgh, including the completion of the double track on the road.

The special train left the Union station yesterday morning, going over the Fort Wayne to Rochester, thence over the Cleveland to Wheeling, returning via the Panhandle. In addition to the work at Wheeling, the officials will consider plans for other projects between Pittsburgh and that point, principally in the matter of providing additional trackage on the main lines.

Injunctions Were Withdrawn.

At a conference yesterday the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie and the Pittsburgh & Western reached an amicable settlement in regard to counter injunctions. The Pittsburgh & Lake Erie had an injunction restraining the Pittsburgh & Western from constructing a second track near Mahoningtown, while the Pittsburgh & Western prevented the Lake Erie from building a bridge over their tracks at Struthers. Both projects will be resumed immediately.

Improving Southwest Branch.

Yesterday the Pennsylvania Railroad Company put into service on the southwest division a stretch of second track, between Coalbrook and Ruth stations. This is the first of the double track to be completed on that division, and marks an important step toward its final operation for the entire distance. The work is being carried on with renewed energy in hopes of having the project completed by the first of the year.

Ambridge, New Ft. Wayne Station.

A passenger station will be established on Monday on the Fort Wayne, at a point midway between Economy and Fair Oaks. It will be known as Ambridge and has been authorized by the railroad company in response to a petition from a number of people in that vicinity. For the present, one train each way will stop there.

Railroad Notes.

W. I. Eveland, traveling passenger agent of the Grand Rapids & Indiana, at Chicago, was in the city yesterday.

C. L. Sprague, representing the Detroit & Cleveland Navigation Company at Cincinnati, was a visitor yesterday.

W. F. Bruner has been appointed stenographer in the city ticket office of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie.

F. D. Casanave, general superintendent of motive power on the Baltimore & Ohio, is inspecting the shops at Glenwood.

President Joseph Ramsey of the Wabash, who was expected in the city yesterday, will not come to Pittsburgh until next week on account of business in New York.

The conductors and brakemen of the Pennsylvania railroad have been notified to turn in their white caps, and make ready to adopt winter headgear next Sunday.

Frank D. May, the oldest traveling passenger agent of the United States, formerly with the Pennsylvania, is dead at Philadelphia. He had been in the railroad business for nearly half a century.

RAW RECRUIT FIRED FIRST FATAL SHOT

Arthur J. Wadsworth Was a Waiter, Who Enlisted in the Guard on Monday.

Arthur J. Wadsworth of Company A, Eighteenth regiment, who fired the first fatal shot of the national guard in the anthracite region, told exclusively in yesterday's Gazette, is a raw recruit. He had been a militiaman only two days when he attained this sudden fame.

Wadsworth is 23 years old and came to Pittsburgh from Cleveland 11 weeks ago. He was employed in Geottman's restaurant for five weeks and recently worked as a waiter at the Hotel Kissel, No. 1023 Carson street. He boarded at No. 49 South Tenth street.

Wadsworth's military experience has been limited. When the news that the guard was to be ordered to the coal regions was spread through the city, Wadsworth was seized with a desire to enlist. He gave up his position as waiter and went to the armory of the Eighteenth regiment. It was learned last night from his friend, Charles Glasser of No. 49 South Tenth street, that he had some friends in Company A and they aided him to join that company last Monday evening.

His friends on the South Side were surprised to learn that he was the soldier who killed the striker Wednesday night. According to them he was mild and unassuming and of a peaceful disposition. He is about five feet nine inches in height, weighs about 150 pounds, has dark hair, smooth face and even features.

ADMISSION BY CARD.

Chamber of Commerce Members Will Get Opportunity to Hear Knox Talk On Trusts.

The special committee of the chamber of commerce appointed to arrange for the address to be made by Attorney General Knox met yesterday. Those present were W. H. Keech, W. M. Kennedy, D. F. Black, Robert Pitcairn, H. C. Frick and Col. A. J. Logan. It was decided to have the meeting in the assembly rooms of the Hotel Schenley on Tuesday evening.

As the membership of the chamber of commerce is very large, and it is the desire of the committee to accommodate all, admission will be by card. Some cards were mailed to prominent citizens who are not members.

Mr. Knox will arrive in Pittsburgh on Monday and while here will be at the Schenley.

Chalice Was Recovered.

The gold and silver chalice, worth about $50, stolen from the church of Holy Ghost college about a month ago, was sold by the thieves to Charles Klan, a colored laborer, employed on the West Side Belt railroad, for 25 cents. He read the account of the theft of the chalice and yesterday, when he was in town informed Inspector Fred Will, who went to Cochran station and secured it.

The theft, the police say, was committed by William Metz and John Bloomer, both of the South Side, who are now in the workhouse serving a 90-day sentence for robbery.

President Wright Inaugurated.

WORCESTER, MASS., Oct. 9.—The collegiate department of Clark university was dedicated and President Carroll D. Wright was inaugurated today. Senator Hoar, president of the board of trustees, presided and made an eloquent address. Senator Lodge also spoke.

EVEN IF You had a NECK As long as this fellow and had SORE THROAT ALL THE WAY DOWN Tonsiline WOULD QUICKLY CURE IT.

TONSILINE is the greatest throat remedy on earth. Tonsiline cures Sore Throats of all kinds very quickly, and it is positive, never-failing and speedy cure for Sore Mouth, Hoarseness and Quinsy. A small bottle of Tonsiline lasts longer than most any one of SORE THROAT. 25 and 50 cents at all druggists. THE TONSILINE CO. CANTON, OHIO.

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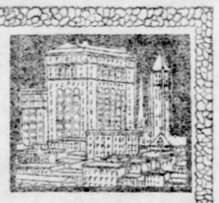

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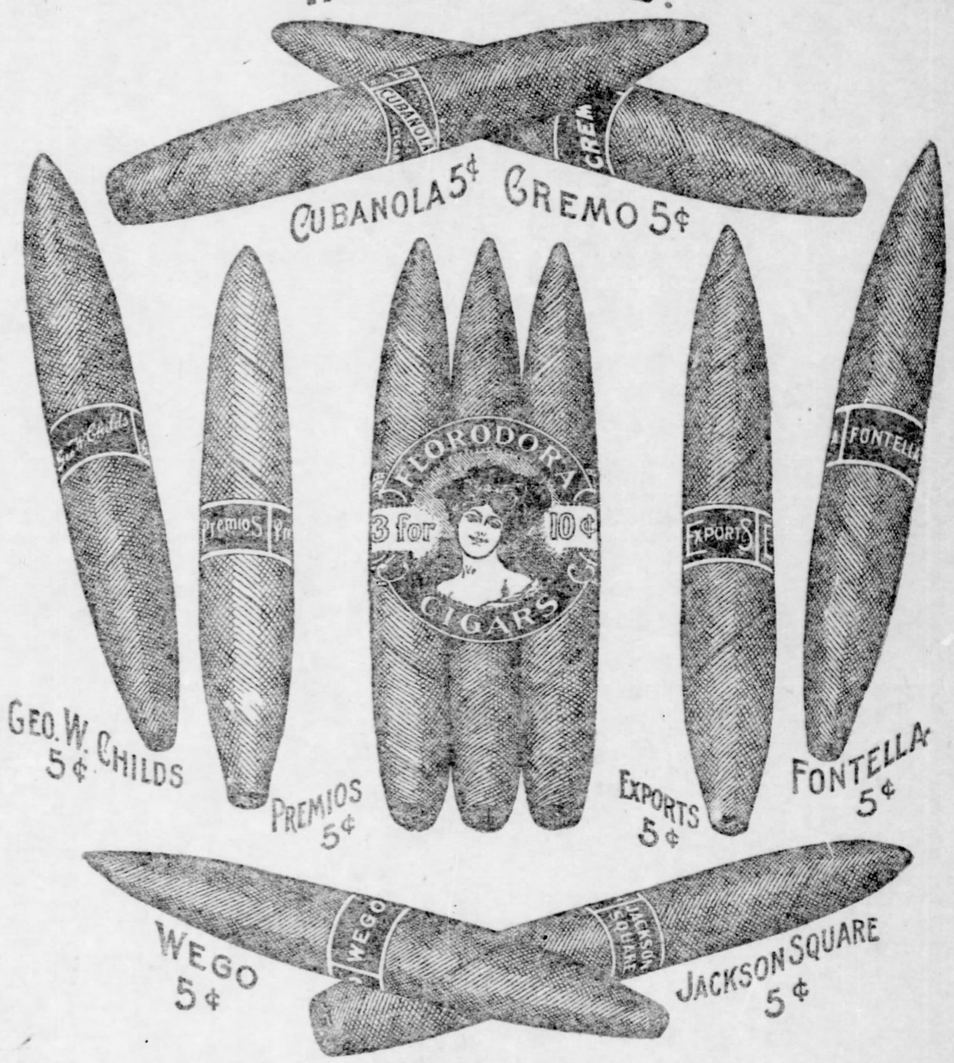

HOW MANY CIGARS will the United States collect Taxes on during the Month of December, 1902?

(Cigars bearing $3.00 per thousand tax.)

$142,500.00 will be given in January, 1903, to the persons whose estimates are nearest to the number of cigars on which $3.00 tax per thousand is paid during the month of December, 1902, as shown by the total sales of stamps made by the United States Internal Revenue Department during December, 1902.

Distribution will be made as follows:

To the.....(1) person estimating the closest		$5 000.00 in cash
To the.....2 persons whose estimates are next closest	($2,500.00 each)	5,000.00 "
To the.....5 persons whose estimates are next closest	($1,000.00 each)	5,000.00 "
To the.....10 persons whose estimates are next closest	($500.00 each)	5,000.00 "
To the.....20 persons whose estimates are next closest	($250.00 each)	5,000.00 "
To the.....25 persons whose estimates are next closest	($100.00 each)	2,500.00 "
To the.....50 persons whose estimates are next closest	($50.00 each)	2,500.00 "
To the.....100 persons whose estimates are next closest	($25.00 each)	2,500.00 "
To the..2,000 persons whose estimates are next closest	($10.00 each)	20,000.00 "
To the .3,000 persons whose estimates are next closest	($5.00 each)	15,000.00 "
To the 30,000 persons whose estimates are next closest we will send to each one box of 50 "Cremo" Cigars (value $2.50 per box)		75,000.00
35,213		
35,213 persons		$142,500.00

Every 100 bands from above named cigars will entitle you to four estimates.

(One "Florodora" band counting as two bands from the 5 cent cigars mentioned; and no less than 100 bands will be received at any one time for estimates.)

Information which may be of value in making estimates:—the number of Cigars now bearing $3.00 Tax per thousand, for which Stamps were purchased, appears below:

In December, 1900,	467,092,208 Cigars.	In March, 1902,	516,599,027 Cigars.
" December, 1901,	479,312,170 "	" April, 1902,	510,885,163 "
" January, 1902,	496,983,717 "	" May, 1902,	523,035,907 "
" February, 1902,	445,495,483 "		

In case of a tie in estimates, the amount offered will be divided equally among those entitled to it. Distribution of the awards will be made as soon after January 1st, 1903 as the figures are obtainable from the Internal Revenue Department of the United States for December.

Write your full name and Post Office Address plainly on packages containing bands. The Postage, or Express charges on your package must be fully prepaid, in order for your estimate to participate.

All estimates under this offer must be forwarded before December 1st, 1902, to the . . FLORODORA TAG COMPANY, Jersey City, N. J.

You do not lose the value of your bands. Receipts will be sent you for your bands, and these receipts will be just as good as the bands themselves in securing Presents. One band from "Florodora," or two bands from any of the other Cigars mentioned above, will count in securing Presents the same as one tag from "Star," "Horse Shoe," "Spear Head," "Standard Navy," "Old Peach and Honey," "J. T." "Master Workman," "Piper Heidsieck," "Jolly Tar," "Boot Jack," "Old Honesty," "Razor," or "Planet" Tobacco; or one "Sweet Caporal" Cigarette Box Front.

Send each estimate on a separate piece of paper, with your name and address plainly written on each. Blank forms for estimates will be mailed upon applications.

Illustrated Catalogue of Presents for 1903 and 1904 will be ready for distribution about October 1st, 1902, and will be mailed on receipt of ten cents, or ten tobacco tags, or twenty cigar bands.

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One of the famous "Baughurt" pictures will be the free art supplement given away with next Sunday's Gazette.

Society

A BEAUTIFUL wedding in every appointment was that which took place last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Chalfant in Etna. The bride was their second daughter, Miss Rebecca K. Chalfant, and the bridegroom, Wilbur Shenk, son of Henry Shenk. The social position and wealth of both families gave prominence to the event.

A large company of relatives and friends witnessed the wedding, which was solemnized at 6:30 o'clock in the large drawing-room. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. T. M. Thompson, pastor of the Sharpsburg Presbyterian church. Beauty and simplicity characterized the decorations throughout the old mansion, especially in the drawing-room, where the colors were green and white. The broad bay-window was lined with towering palms banked by smaller tropical plants, the rich green being relieved by scattered white flowers, roses and chrysanthemums. The mantels were banked with maiden hair ferns and flowers, were massed effectively throughout the house. Within the bay-window stood the bridal party during the ceremony. The bride, who made her debut a couple of seasons ago, was attended by her younger sister, Miss Margaret J. Chalfant, who was maid of honor. Two little cousins of the bride, Virginia Anderson and Rebecca Collingwood, were her flower girls. George D. Watt was the best man. The bride was given away by her father. She wore a rich wedding gown of white duchess satin, the bodice almost covered with exquisite rose point lace, the lace continuing as a decoration of the skirt, which was cut with full court train over which fell the bridal veil of tulle and lace. She carried a shower bouquet of white orchids, lilies of the valley and maiden hair ferns. The maid of honor was gowned in white mousseline de soie, trimmed with lace, and carried a bouquet of green and white orchids. The two little flower girls were prettily dressed in sheer white muslin with insets of lace, and each carried a dainty basket filled with white flowers, lilies of the valley and maiden hair ferns.

After the formal reception the wedding supper was served. The bridal table was decorated wholly in white and green, the candles and lights being covered with pretty white and green shades. The flowers were roses and orchids. The bridal table was set in the dining room, and the bride and bridesgroom were surrounded by the maid of honor, the best man and 12 of their most intimate friends, covers being laid for 16. In the breakfast room a little distance away, was another supper party consisting of the little flower girls and a number of other little people.

The wedding trip will continue for a month, and then Mr. and Mrs. Shenk will return to Pittsburgh and make their home in Castleman street, Shadyside, where a handsome house is being prepared for their reception. Several large affairs will be given in their honor soon after their return.

Marshall—Brown.

It is rare that so much interest is attached to a wedding beyond the circle of relatives and personal friends of the bride and bridegroom as that created in the wedding of Miss Lilian Mercur Marshall and John Taggart Brown. The marriage was solemnized last evening at 8 o'clock, in St. Andrew's Protestant Episcopal church, the ceremony being performed by the rector of the church, Rev. Creden White, D. D. The bride had no attendants, but was given away by her uncle, William K. Marshall, of Towanda, N. Y. Mr. Brown's best man was his brother, D. James Brown, and those who ushered were Henry Phillips Graham Herron, Leonard H. Wheeler, Charles M. Johnston, James R. Brown and Samuel Eccles. Carl Retter was at the organ and played the wedding music, and also played for a half hour before the ceremony. Mrs. Brown was an especially graceful bride. Her wedding gown was of white dotted silk muslin, over taffeta silk, trimmed with lace. Her veil of tulle was fastened with a cluster of orange blossoms and her bouquet consisted of white Bride's roses. The church was decorated with palms and ferns, and smilax was wreathed about the altar.

The ceremony at the church was followed by a small reception at the Twentieth Century club, where the bride and her mother have made their home for several years, Mrs. Brown being general secretary of the club. The receiving party included the bride and the bridegroom, Mrs. Richard Trim Marshall, the bride's mother, Mrs. Jane Ball Brown, mother of the bridegroom, and Miss Lilian Mercur of Towanda, N. Y. The assembly room was decorated prettily in green and white, palms and ferns filling the low rostrum and being grouped in the corners of the apartment. The mantels were banked with ferns; white roses and chrysanthemums were the only flowers. In the dining room pink roses adorned the supper tables, while the lights were shaded with pink.

Last evening Mr. and Mrs. Brown went away for a short wedding trip. They will be at home after November 1 at No. 31 Bryant street, Bellevue. Mrs. Brown resigned her position at the Twentieth Century club early in the summer, at the same time announcing her engagement, which has extended over the past two years. She has filled her office with such efficiency and won so many friends by her graceful courtesy and womanliness, that the club house, which has been her home for several years, was placed at her disposal for the wedding reception.

Wedding on an Anniversary.

One of the handsomest weddings of the season occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Montgomery, Bank street, Sewickley, being the marriage of their daughter, Miss Estelle Montgomery, to Frank Davenport, of the East End. The ceremony was performed at 8:30 o'clock by the Rev. William O. Campbell, pastor of the Sewickley Presbyterian church, before 250 guests. The daughter's wedding celebrated the 30th wedding anniversary of her parents.

In the bridal party were Miss Francis Montgomery, a sister of the bride, as maid of honor; Robert Caldwell, best man; the bridesmaids were Miss Juvia Davenport, a sister of the groom; Miss Lu Hoffman, Miss Mary Durrah and Miss Mabel Lindsey, Greenville, Pa. The ushers were Messrs. Kepler, Daniel Buck, Guy Bartlett of Buffalo, N. Y.; George Steele, Chester Balzell and Charles Eyster. Master Lawrence and Master Wayne Montgomery, little brothers of the bride, were the ring bearers. On the inclosed porch was stationed the orchestra, which played during the evening.

The bride was handsomely gowned in English chiffon over white satin, with trimmings of rose point, and her veil was the one her mother wore 30 years ago. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome pearl and diamond brooch, which she wore. She carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley tied with white chiffon. The maid of honor's gown was of pink embroidered chiffon over pink silk ribbon trimmings, and she carried a large bouquet of pink bride's roses. The bridesmaids wore white pointe d'esprit, over white silk, with trimmings of white point lace. They carried bunches of maiden hair ferns with pink chiffon.

The entire house was very elaborately decorated in pink and green, the wedding colors, with occasional clusters of white flowers. Following the wedding was the reception, in the receiving party with the bride and bridegroom were Mrs. Montgomery, the bride's mother; Mr. and Mrs. Davenport, of the East End, parents of the groom, and the following aides: Mrs. Harry Campbell, Mrs. J. J. Speer and Mrs. L. M. Rhodes. A large number of guests were present from Meadville, Pa., Buffalo, East End and the Sewickley valley. Mr. and Mrs. Davenport started on an eastern trip to terminate at Schenectady, N. Y., Towards the latter of October they will be at home in Sewickley. Mr. Davenport is connected with the H. C. Frick Coke Company.

Hospital Reception Day.

The managers of the Presbyterian hospital, in Ridge avenue, Allegheny, yesterday held their annual reception, both afternoon and evening, and the hospital building was well filled with visitors. Some generous gifts were made the institution, which received fresh linen and friends, and a donation of $100 was made to the building fund.

The hospital is filled to its utmost capacity. There are now 54 patients, nearly 20 of whom have typhoid fever. The urgent need of a new and larger hospital is appreciated, as in the last two days 10 cases were turned away, all of them needing the utmost attention, the majority being typhoid fever cases. The building fund now amounts to $30,000. Though the managers want to erect a building with an equipment costing $100,000, they would purchase a site and build immediately if the present law affecting city institutions were repealed. Until this is done they must turn away cases of urgent need.

Sheeran-Miller.

A pleasant event of the week was the wedding, on Tuesday evening, of Miss Martha Jane Sheeran and Edward L. Miller, at the residence of the bride, Shady avenue and Marchand street. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. D. Martin, D. D., pastor of the Reformed Presbyterian church, East End. The bride decorations were green and white. The bride wore a gown of white silk, trimmed with lace and chiffon, and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses. Her attendant was Miss Kate Connelly, who also wore white and carried white roses. On account of the recent death of the bride's mother, Mrs. John C. Sheeran, only the immediate relatives were present. The young couple left for Washington, D. C., and a tour through the east. They will be at home to their friends Thursdays, after October 23, at No. 272 Shady avenue.

Transportation to the Federation.

Miss Kate McKnight has received so many inquiries from club women regarding railroad rates for the meeting of the State Federation of Pennsylvania Women in Titusville next week, that she has found it advisable to appoint a local committee on transportation. The committee consists of Miss Eliza Armstrong, Kenilworth avenue, Mrs. Mattie Patterson, Center avenue, and Mrs. J. J. J. Coverdale, Lawrenceville. Club members wishing to take advantage of reduced rates are requested to notify some member of this committee.

Out-of-Town Wedding Guests.

Among the out-of-town guests who were present last evening at the wedding of Miss Lilian Mercur Marshall and John Taggart Brown, were Miss Lilian Mercur of Towanda, N. Y., a sister of Dr. William H. Mercur of Fifth avenue, Shadyside, and Mrs. Rudolph Wagner, formerly Miss Elsie Mercur, of Econom, Pa. Miss Mercur until a few years ago was prominent in club and social life in Pittsburgh. She has made her home in Towanda since leaving this city. Miss Mercur will visit friends while in Pittsburgh.

Engagement Announced.

At an informal luncheon at "Welchmont," Monaca, Pa., yesterday, announcement was made of the engagement of Miss Lydia A. Welch and C. Elmer Bown. Miss Welch is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Henry Welch and Mr. Bown is the son-in-law of Scott S. Bown of Pittsburgh. On October 11 Miss Welch and Miss Charlotte Welch leave for North Carolina, where they will spend the winter.

McDonald Work.

A very prettily arranged wedding took place in Beaver Falls yesterday afternoon, the bride and groom being Miss Alberta O. McDonald and William Work. The ceremony took place at the home of the mother of the bride, Mrs. Harry O. Craighead, at 5 o'clock, the Rev. W. H. McKinney, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. The bride and groom were unattended. The bride is well-known and popular in society circles, and the groom is a young druggist of West Newton, Pa., where the couple will go to housekeeping at once.

Black-Magee.

A brilliant wedding took place last evening in the Presbyterian church, Clarion, Pa., at 8:30 o'clock. The contracting parties were Miss Margaret Shippen Black, daughter of Jacob Black of Clarion, and niece of Mrs. J. M. Guffey of Pittsburgh, and Ernest John Magee of Clarion. The Rev. George Robinson, the bride's pastor, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Horace Goodchild. The bride wore a gown of white mousseline over white silk, trimmed with pointe lace, and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. Miss Mary Guffey of Pittsburgh acted as maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Miss Elizabeth Brundred of Oil City and Miss Alice Maple of Pittsburgh. Miss Elizabeth Williams of Oleonta, and Miss Edith Taylor of Barnesville, O. These young women were all classmates of the bride. Miss Elsie Guffey of Pittsburgh was the flower girl. The groom was attended by Wilson Magee as best man. Curtis Spencer of Franklin, Walter Wilson and Benjamin Wilson, of Clarion, and Frederick Wagner acted as ushers. The decorations were in green and white.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. Guffey and two daughters, of Pittsburgh; Miss Zoe Wilson, Miss Jennie Jackson, Miss Alice Maple and William Johnson, Pittsburgh; Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Black, Franklin, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. John Hamm, Sharon, and Miss Crawford and Miss Walker, of Emlenton, Pa. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, after which Mr. and Mrs. Magee left for a month's trip throughout the west. They will be at home in Clarion after November 15.

Coming Event in New Castle.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—An event of unusual interest will be the approaching marriage of Joseph McMillen and Miss Jennie L. Jackson, daughter of W. P. Jackson. The marriage will occur in the third week of October, and will be solemnized at the home of the bride's brother, Dr. W. R. Jackson. The groom is the chief clerk of the National Steel Company in this city.

Notes of Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis M. Scott entertained last evening at dinner at the Hotel Lincoln.

The Thursday Afternoon club of Wilkinsburg held an open social meeting yesterday in Hamnett hall. It was the first meeting of the season.

The Saturday Night club of Edgewood will hold its initial meeting of the season at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lloyd, Maple avenue, tomorrow evening.

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Potato and Salmon Rolls.
Grilled Tomatoes.
Cereal Rolls. Coffee.

LUNCH.
Mushrooms on Toast. Scalloped Potatoes.
Melon Preserves. White Cake.
Tea.

DINNER.
Black Bean Soup.
Fried Chicken. Cream Gravy.
Mashed Potatoes. String Beans.
Celery Salad.
Quince Pudding. Coffee.

Sunday.

BREAKFAST.
Grapes and Bartlett Pears.
Cereal Cream.
Creamed Tomatoes, Corn Pone.
Coffee.

DINNER.
Carrot Soup.
Smothered Steak with Plantains.
Mashed White Potatoes. Cauliflower.
String Bean Salad.
Peach Meringue. Coffee.

SUPPER.
Welch Rarebit. Celery.
Pear Compote, with Cream. Cake.
Tea.

Monday.

BREAKFAST.
Baked Pears.
Spanish Eggs. Cream.
Toast. Baked Potatoes.
Coffee.

LUNCH.
Frizzled Beef. Grilled Tomatoes.
Waffles. Maple Syrup.
Cocoa.

DINNER.
Puree of Celery.
Veal Cutlets. Cream Sauce.
Sweet Potatoes. Stewed Cucumbers.
Cabbage Salad.
Peach Cups. Coffee. Cream.

Tuesday.

BREAKFAST.
Fruit.
Cereal. Cream.
Fried Eggplant. Crisp Bacon.
Stewed Potatoes. Syrup.
Griddle Cakes. Coffee.

LUNCH.
Curry of Egg. Boiled Rice.
Hot Rolls. Fruit.
Grape Juice.

DINNER.
Brunswick Stew. Glazed Sweet Potatoes.
Celery and Nut Salad.
Peach Cobbler. Cream.
Coffee.

Rice Imperial.

Scald three cups of milk in double boiler adding a few chips of the thin, yellow rind of lemon. When it is hot stir in half a cup of well-washed rice and cook until it is perfectly tender. The rice should have absorbed the milk by this time, but must not be dry. Mix in half a cupful of sugar and quarter of a box of soaked gelatine which has been dissolved over hot water. Let the mixture get partly cold, then add three tablespoonfuls each of maraschino and sherry, or of any preferred flavoring. As it begins to set fold in a pint of whipped cream and turn into a mold. This is delicious served with orange or apple jelly cut into rings and center of each ring filled with whipped cream.

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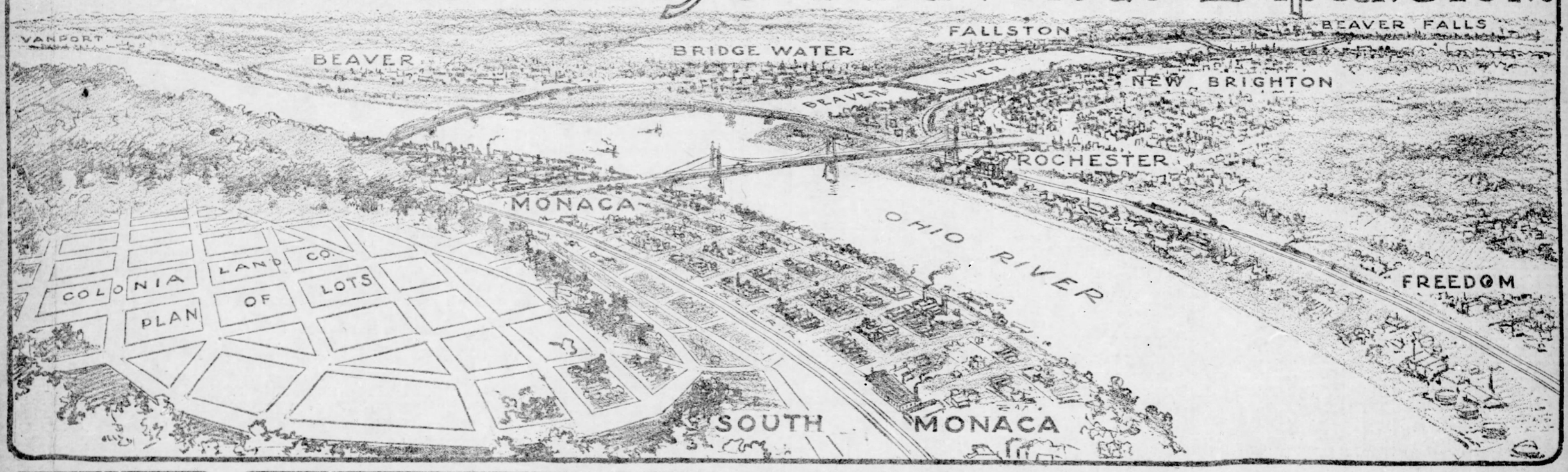

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LAND ASKED FOR STATION

Railroad Wishes to Double Its Present Holdings, But Not the Rental—Same Company Has Another Ordinance.

fore the ordinance granting additi- al rights to the Baltimore & Ohio oad, to be considered by the joint mittee on corporations today, is ed, councils will endeavor to get railroad to increase the annual tal which it offers. The railroad of- s the city $4,000, and many mem- rs of council are of the opinion that railroad ought to pay an annual ntal equal to a fair interest on the lue of the rights which they are get- g. They do not believe the railroad rs enough money. The corporations mittee will look over the ground to-

he ordinance, now in the hands of the mittee on corporations, was intro- d in councils last spring. The rail- d company desires the use of all that t of the Monongahela wharf bounded Smithfield street, Grant street, Water et, and the water line. This is to be d as a site for its new depot, which ill be when completed, one of the finest in the city.

Small Increase in Rent.

The railroad company, with its present buildings, occupies slightly more than half of what it now wants. It paid in the past $3,000 a year. It now offers $1,000 additional, a total of $4,000 per annum.

The Baltimore & Ohio has another ordinance, which will also be considered by the corporations committee today. This provides for a shifting of the tracks in Glenwood. The railroad tracks now occupy a strip parallel to the river. A street separates the tracks and the river. The railroad company's ordinance provides that the city shall give up the street for the company's tracks and to take in its place the stripe of ground now occupied by the tracks, said to be about the same width as the street, although that point has not been clearly shown. The members of councils, many of whom have not examined into this, have taken no stand on this ordinance.

Was Killed Before.

A similar ordinance was introduced by the Baltimore & Ohio in the old councils, and at meetings of the corporations committee a number of business men appeared and said that in their judgment the railroad company was not offering a rental equal to a reasonable interest on the value of the rights. The ordinance was never passed, and died with the old councils. It promptly reappeared in the common branch after councils organized.

A story was current yesterday that the Baltimore & Ohio will abandon its right of way through Hazelwood and Glenwood, and will follow the course of the river through its yards in Hazelwood and Glenwood. No confirmation of the rumor could be secured, and it was pointed out by many that this would nearly double the running time between Glenwood and the Baltimore & Ohio depot, and would seriously interfere with the fast trains.

IRON DUTIES REMOVED.

Transvaal Government Abolishes Tariff on Machinery, Building Materials and Metals.

PRETORIA, Oct. 9.—An extraordinary issue of the Gazette says:

"The amended tariffs are only provisional, the government desiring ultimately to enter the customs union on a basis which will not sacrifice vital interests of the Transvaal. The negotiations thus far have been unavailing because the Transvaal does not feel justified in increasing the duties on certain foodstuffs to the extent which the coast colonies consider necessary for the protection of their products.

The duties are abolished on machinery, building materials, metals and agricultural implements. The large sacrifice of revenue involved is considered preferable to increasing by taxation the cost of renewing the industrial capital of the colony. All iron will be admitted free and the cost of building will be greatly reduced by the removal of the duties on cement and timber.

LOCAL MAN CALLED.

Chicago Congregation Wants the Rev. John W. McClenahan for Its Pastor.

The Rev. John W. McClenahan of Allegheny has received a call to the pastorate of the Eighth United Presbyterian church in Garfield boulevard, Chicago, to succeed the Rev. J. Knox Montgomery, who resigned to become pastor of a church at Charlotte, N. C.

The Rev. Mr. McClenahan graduated with last year's class at the Allegheny seminary, and graduated this year at Princeton seminary, where he took a post graduate course. He has two brothers serving as missionaries in Egypt. Recently he declined an appointment to the foreign mission field, as he wished to enter pastoral work in this country.

COAL PROMOTER A SUICIDE.

Scheme to Form an Exporting Company Killed by Strike.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Among his friends at the Lotos club it is believed that Charles W. Lewis committed suicide as a result of the coal strike. He had been a member of the Lotos club for 20 years. He died today after taking morphine.

Mr. Lewis was an Englishman by birth, 70 years old. Recently he had been engaged in promoting a company to export coal. When the strike began he expressed fear that his plans might fail.

AUTOMOBILE ENDURANCE TEST.

Seventy-Two Machines to Show Their Mettle in Race to Boston.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Seventy-two automobiles, valued at $500,000, and weighing more than 150,000 pounds, started from Fifth avenue and Fifty-eighth street for Boston today. The occasion was an endurance test under the auspices of the Automobile club of America.

The machines which are able to make the Hub Saturday afternoon will rest over Sunday and start back to New York Monday morning, arriving here Wednesday afternoon. The club calls the event "a 500-mile reliability contest."

Cleveland Men Elected.

At a meeting of the high school committee of the central board of education last night, Dr. George F. Saal of Cleveland, was elected to the chair of English at the Central high school. This chair was made vacant when Dr. McFarland was promoted after Professor Wynearson was made director of high schools. The high school report shows an enrollment of 4,837, with an average attendance of 1,765. There are 35 non-resident pupils in the school.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS TO MEET

THIRTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL CONVENTION.

State Association Gathering Will Bring Together Many Prominent Men and Women.

The 38th annual convention of the Pennsylvania State Sunday School association will be held during the coming week. The program opens on Tuesday morning with a conference led by Hugh Cork, superintendent of the association. Two other conferences will follow, led by P. L. Craig, New Castle, and Mrs. J. W. Barnes, state superintendent of primary work.

In the afternoon conferences will be led by the Rev. Charles A. Oliver, superintendent of normal work. Mrs. M. G. Kennedy of Philadelphia, president primary council, and H. J. Heinz of Pittsburgh, chairman of the state executive committee and president of the Allegheny County Sunday School union, will speak on "Developing the Association's Finances," and at 5:30 p. m. will give a reception and dinner to the state officers and county presidents.

The formal opening of the convention will take place Tuesday evening. The song service is to be conducted by Prof. E. O. Excell of Chicago, assisted by a large chorus. The addresses of welcome will be made by Gen. Charles Miller of Franklin and the Rev. A. C. Bowers. Response, the Rev. Dr. C. R. Blackall of Philadelphia. The Hon. John Wanamaker, state president, will give his annual address.

Many Noted Men.

Among the noted speakers who will be present are the Rev. Dr. John Potts, Toronto, Canada; the Rev. John H. Prugh, Pittsburgh; the Rev. Dr. C. R. Blackall, Philadelphia; Philip E. Howard, Philadelphia; Mme. Lydia M. von Finkelstein Mountford, Jerusalem, Palestine; Samuel E. Gill, Pittsburgh; and Dr. Lloyd B. Wright, who until recently was in charge of the mission work of the late Dr. John Hall's church, New York city, but who has been secured by Howard Heinz to superintend a work among boys in Pittsburgh. The Rev. Dr. Potts is one of the most prominent men in the Canadian Methodist church.

Miss Alice B. Hamlin, the primary superintendent of the Allegheny County Sabbath School association, will during the convention speak on "Home Department Methods."

Harry E. Carmack of Pittsburgh also appears on the program. He will lead the conference of the intermediate and adult teachers.

A feature of the convention will be the normal class graduating exercises, at which the Hon. John Wanamaker will preside and will present the diplomas. The Rev. Charles Oliver will make the address to the class. Among this year's students are ministers of the gospel, superintendents of public schools, professors in normal schools and academies, public school teachers, lawyers, doctors, business men, mechanics and pupils in public schools. In one class a mother, daughter and grandchild took the course together.

Pennsylvania Leads.

Pennsylvania is a great state in Sunday school work. There are now almost 10,000 schools, being 1,444 more than in any other state in the union. The enrollment of workers and scholars has reached nearly 1,500,000, one school having an enrollment of over 5,000. The organization commands the support of some of the foremost business men of America, and being the home of so many leaders of national reputation is great in its leadership and liberality.

The officers of the state union are: President, the Hon. John Wanamaker; general secretary, the Rev. Dr. Charles Roads, Philadelphia; state district presidents, Samuel Young, Pittsburgh; superintendent visitation, Hugh Cork, Pittsburgh; chairman executive committee, H. J. Heinz, Pittsburgh; superintendent, the Rev. Charles Oliver, Philadelphia. The Allegheny county officers are: President, H. J. Heinz; vice presidents, Peter Dick; treasurer, William J. Lilley, board of managers, A. P. Burchfield, George A. Low, A. A. Hamilton, R. E. Stewart, S. E. Gill, W. L. Davis, W. H. Graham, C. E. Stifel, E. S. Gray, J. W. Kinnear, the Rev. Dr. E. M. Wood, William P. Herbert. Quite a large delegation of Sunday school workers from this vicinity will attend the convention.

STRUGGLE FOR LIBERTY.

St. Louis Millionaire Who Will Be Arraigned For Alleged Bribery to Put Up a Hard Fight.

ST. LOUIS, MO., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Edward Butler, the millionaire horseshoer, for 20 years the Democratic boss in St. Louis, will be arraigned for trial at Columbia, Mo., next Monday.

Mr. Butler must answer to the charge of having offered a bribe to Dr. Henry N. Chapman of $2,500 to award a city garbage contract to the St. Louis Sanitary Company, in which Butler is interested. Butler's fight to keep from going to the penitentiary probably will be the most desperate of any put up by the boodlers.

COAL FOR ONE VILLAGE.

Mine Owner Resident Bringing in Fuel by Train Loads.

NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—There will be no coal famine in New Rochelle if Adrian Iselin can help it. Mr. Iselin, who owns several mines on the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh railroad, is bringing whole trainloads of coal just to meet the wants of the people of his native town.

Fuel will be given to the poor first and after they are supplied it will be sold in one and two-ton lots at the cost price of $7 50 a ton delivered.

Meet After Forty Years.

A reunion of the members of the class of 1862, Jefferson college, at Canonsburg, will be held at that place next Monday afternoon. The Rev. Dr. W. F. Brown of Canonsburg will deliver the address of welcome. The class numbers 32 members, among whom are F. H. Agnew of Beaver, Dr. R. S. Sutton of Pittsburgh, the Rev. S. Johnston of Crafton, the Rev. Dr. Campbell of Sewickley, Gen. Henry H. Bingham, known as the "Father of Congress;" the Rev. Dr. E. T. Jeffrs, former president of Westminster college, the Rev. R. G. Ferguson, president of Westminster college here, Dr. B. F. Woodburn, of Allegheny, and the Rev. Dr. Wallace Radcliff, of Washington, D. C. Students' reunion day will also be observed at Washington, Pa.

Diplomas for Graduates.

The commencement exercises of the graduating class of the Bedford school, Twenty-ninth ward, which entered the high school this year, will be held this afternoon in the Bedford school building. The exercises will open with prayer by the Rev. Dr. A. A. Johnson. Dr. R. W. Holbrook, principal of the South Side high school, the Rev. Dr. S. A. Hunter and Supt. Samuel Andrews will deliver addresses. The members of the class to receive diplomas are Catherine Urben, Elizabeth Spotts, Pearl Farrell, Edna Frost, James May, Elizabeth Farrell, Carrie Siedler, Mina Scott, George Jones and Charles Jackson.

Country Club Tournaments.

The County club golf tournament events for tomorrow will be the fourth monthly contest for the Hotel Schenley cup, the third contest for the cup presented by Wilbur Sheets, and the two-ball sweepstakes. Notices are also out for the entries for the invitation tournament of October 13, 15, 16 and 17. The entries close tomorrow. For the latter tournament six handsome cups and a gold medal have been provided for winners.

Horatio C. King Nominated.

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$4,000—New frame house, 6 rooms, hall and finished attic; bath, hot and cold water, gas, cabinet mantels, tile hearths, sliding doors, front and rear porches, laundry; lot 25x150 feet; terms $300, balance monthly.

$2,500—Frame house, 4 rooms, hall, city water; lot 31x100 feet; on Webster ave.

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$1,800—HERRON AVE.—House 4 rooms; will rent for $15.
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Above properties exceptionally good investments. Terms easy.
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New center hall colonial houses
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Three frame houses, with lots 25x150 feet, of 4 rooms each; porch, water, all drained to main sewer.
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Only $5,250.
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FOR SALE.
New center hall colonial houses
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FOR SALE.

East End Residences.

FOR SALE—Very complete colonial house; 12 rooms, large lot, fine stable; location and surroundings first-class; Point Breeze, East End district; immediate possession; for permit see Commonwealth Real Estate and Trust Company, 337 and 329 Fourth ave.

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FOR SALE.
Virginia and Maryland Farms.
Of all descriptions, colonial homes and large estates, timber lands, coal, iron, oil and mineral lands. Address
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FOR SALE—Just the place for poultry and fruit; 21 acres; level; good house, barn and orchard; small stream through field; near town; only $2,200; $500 cash, balance in payments of $100 per year; good title; send for full description and my list of farms. S. W. Wilson, Niles, O.

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I HAVE about 3,000 acres of Clearfield vein coal to sell. Address Lock Box 402, Belle Vernon, Pa.

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BUSINESS PROPERTY.
FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN.
Three-story frame, 4 rooms and store room, corner lot, 22x22, 1212 Beaver ave., Allegheny.
REAL ESTATE BUSINESS EXCHANGE,
506 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—New 3-story brick business house, containing 14 rooms, in a good location; an old stand; good reasons given for selling. For terms inquire on the premises, No. 130 South Eighteenth st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

For Sale or Exchange.

FOR

MONEY AND STRIKE NEWS THE DOMINANT FACTORS

Confidence in Stock Market Slowly Reviving--Call Money Again Up to 15 Per Cent--Local Trust Company Shares Still Decline.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

Although the day passed without any confirmation of the many rumors current of a settlement of the coal strike, Wall street based its operations in the stock market yesterday largely on the theory that a resumption of mining would be delayed no longer than next Monday. Before the opening of the market several circumstantial reports were circulated to the effect that the Pennsylvania railroad and other interests had offered to make concessions in order to end the struggle, and that President Baer of the Reading system, who had acted as spokesman for the operators, had been overruled by higher financial and political influences and resigned his position. Some of these rumors were officially denied, but the street was not shaken in its belief that a settlement had been practically reached. Another factor counting upon the side of slowly reviving confidence in market values was the report, referred to in The Gazette's telegraphic special from New York yesterday morning, that J. P. Morgan & Co. had taken over the holdings of a prominent operator in Reading stock. This was supplemented by another report that Kuhn, Loeb & Co. had relieved the same operator of his holdings of Union Pacific. In all market movements like recent ones, individuals and pools become loaded with securities, and when the turn comes there is always apprehension that the same may be unloaded without regard to price. In the bull campaign of the past summer there were undoubtedly many traders who overloaded, and it was their forced liquidation during the past two weeks that was responsible for the decline. So long as traders believe that there is a large block of securities hanging over the market they are timid about buying if they are not bold enough to sell short to discount the expected unloading. There is no doubt that the speculative community experienced relief over the announcements referred to.

During the early part of the session the tone of the market was firm, and it continued to gain strength until late in the afternoon. Evidence that the bulls were regaining courage was furnished by some time-worn rumors of pending deals. The activity in Union Pacific and St. Paul was responsible for the revival of the story that the former had acquired a controlling interest in the latter. Pennsylvania and Reading were notably strong, the former rising to 163¼ and the latter to 71¾, and both showing handsome gains at the close. The Southern Railway directors declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent on the preferred stock, which was due last month but had been deferred pending the extension of the voting trust, and both classes of stock advanced, closing at the top. Colorado Fuel and Iron advanced 2½ per cent, the rise being accompanied by the old rumor that the property would be absorbed by the United States Steel Corporation. Amalgamated Copper, which under pressure had sold down to 62, recovered to 63¾, and Sugar rose 2½ per cent.

The upward movement was gaining momentum, when the banks again applied the brake in the shape of higher rates for call money. The latter opened at 9 per cent, at which figure most of the renewals were made, but after 2 p. m. the rate suddenly rose to 15 per cent, and while there was a reaction to 12 per cent, the final loan was at 15 per cent. Six months' money is said to have loaned as high as 10 per cent. The effect was to check bullish enthusiasm, but the market closed steady at net advances for the day. The sales reached 710,000 shares.

There is little doubt that the money situation is becoming easier, but all this week it has been apparent that little if any increase in the supply will be available for the stock market for some weeks to come. Besides the active requirements of trade, the wants of various syndicates are large, and as the members of these syndicates are closely identified with the largest banking institutions, they will receive attention before the average commission house. The sub-treasury report showed that since last Friday the banks have gained about $4,000,000, and the National City bank, which was a leader yesterday, received a portion of the gold which it bought en route from South Africa. The Bank of England rate of discount remained unchanged at 4 per cent, but its reserve was still further reduced, notwithstanding a contraction in loans of nearly $14,500,000 for the past week. The report of the Bank of France showed a still greater contraction, the reduction in bills discounted amounting to about $18,000,000.

There was a still further falling off in business on the Pittsburgh stock exchange, the sales reaching only 3,385 shares stock and $3,000 bonds. Prices were irregular, but the only important declines occurred in the shares of the trust companies. The movement of the latter indicated very plainly that the recent extraordinary rise was of a speculative character. There were no new developments a week or two ago warranting a rise of $50 to $150 a share in the price of these stocks, and there has certainly been no development affecting either the earning power of the condition of our financial institutions during the past few days, so that the declines ranging from $5 to $75 a share this week merely represent liquidation, forced or otherwise, of speculative purchases. In local financial circles the facts are well known, but outsiders, reading the daily fluctuations and seeing the sharp declines recently quoted, might be misled thereby. This is the evil connected with speculation in bank and trust company shares; it arouses unfounded suspicion, and for their own and the public's sake the manipulation should be effectually discouraged by withholding banking accommodation from the "boomers." At the opening yesterday Colonial Trust sold at 630, a drop of $10 from the previous sale, and a further decline to 615 occurred, the stock closing at 610 bid, 615 asked, a net loss for the day of $25 a share. Pittsburgh Trust opened at 855 and sold down to 840, a net decline of $30 a share, but closed at 845 bid. Pennsylvania Trust sold at 260, a decline of $8, and Commonwealth Trust was down 8½ points at 245, recovering to 247 bid at the close. Allegheny Trust declined 1 to 154, and American Trust was off 2, selling at 125. Real Estate Trust was firmer, advancing to 308 bid. The action of the directors of the Fidelity Title and Trust in doubling the dividend, declaring 3 per cent for the past quarter, and also voting to submit to stockholders a proposition to increase the capital from $1,000,000 to $2,000,000, selling the new stock at $400 a share, had apparently been discounted by the market, the stock remaining nominally unchanged at 650 bid, 700 asked. Union Trust also remained unchanged at 2,150 bid. In the bank list one new high record was made, State bank selling at 73, a net advance of 3. Federal National bank was 1 per cent off, selling at 144, and Merchants and Manufacturers was 11½ off from its recent high mark, selling at 136½.

Dealings in the industrial list were extremely light, but as a rule prices were firm and the close was near the best of the day. Crucible Steel common recovered to 22¾, a gain of ½, and the preferred was firmer at 85⅝. United States Steel common advanced ⅜, selling at 40, and the preferred was ⅞ per cent higher, selling at 89½. Window Glass was strong, advancing to and closing at 60, a net gain for the day of 1¼. Trade reports were responsible for the better tone of the market. Westinghouse Electric second preferred recovered to 106½, but Air Brake continued to decline on light transactions, selling at 178, a loss for the day of a point. The feeling at the close was steady to firm for the general list. Transactions in bonds were limited to $2,000 River Coal 6s at 113¾, and $1,000 Birmingham Traction 5s at 116, prices being unchanged in both instances.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday aggregated 3,385 shares stock and $3,000 bonds. Sales:

10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.

20 Pgh. Coal com 29¾ | 100 Cruc. pfd.... 85⅜
125 do ..... 29⅞ | 10 do 85¾
100 Brewing com 31 | 25 Marsden 5
10 Coln. Trust..630 | 2 River Coal pfd 40¼
10 Pgh. Trust...856 | 20 U. S. Steel pf 89¼
10 do ..... 850 | 10 M. & M. N. B.136½
10 Ally. Trust...154 | 50 S. U. Cable...210
20 Ally. Trust...154

10:50 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.

1 Phila. com... 47½ | 75 P. Prof. com. 29¾
25 Penna. Trust.290 | 20 Electric 2ds...109¼
10 W. Airbrake.178 | 50-30-10 do.....106¾
2 Phila. pfd.... 48 | 20-100 do.....106
20 Fed. N. B.....144 | 10-40 do.....106¾
5 Coln. Trust...625 | 50-30-50-10-10 do.106¾
5 do .....625 | 50 Ally. Trust....154
5-5 do .....629 | 20 Brewing com. 31½
10 do .....615 | 180 do 31¾
25 P. Coal com. 29¾ | 8 C. V. Water.. 42½
10 Pgh. Trust...840 | 100 U. S. Stl. com 40
10-10 do .....840 | 50 do 40
55 Crucible pfd.. 85⅜ | 10 Amer. Trust..245
20-20 do.....85¾ | 25 Comth. Trust 245

12:30 p. m. to 2 p. m.

100 Riv. Coal com 11¾ | 10 Pgh. Coal com 29¾
100 Riv. Coal pfd 39¾ | 10 State Bank... 73
100-20-100 do..... 39⅞ | 50 U. S. Stl. com 40
100 Marsden ..... 5¼ | 100 Mails. com... 48⅝
25 Pgh. Coal pfd 92 | 100 Crucible com. 22
10 do ..... 92 | 10 do 22¾
10 Crucible pfd.. 85¾ | 30 Brewing com.. 31½
18 P. Coal com... 29⅞ | 50 do 31¾

2 p. m. to 3 p. m.

100 Riv. Coal pfd. 39⅜ | 50 Pgh. Coal pfd 91⅝
25 P. Proof. pfd. 93¾ | 50 W. Glass com. 59½
15 do ..... 93⅝ | 10 do 60
50 Steel & R. pf. 72 | 50 do 59¾
3 Pgh. Coal com. 29⅝ | 50 do 59¾
50 do ..... 29⅞ | 10 U. S. Stl. com 40¼
10-50-150 do..... 29⅝

SUMMARY.

STOCKS. Shares.	High.	Low.	Last.	Change.
330 Brew. com.	31¼	31	31¼	
5 C. V. Water	42½	42½	42½	-0
110 Cruc. Steel.	22¾	22	22¾	+¼
215 Do pfd....	85¾	85¼	85¾	+¼
75 P. F. Prof....	29¼	29¼	29¼	+¼
50 Do pfd.....	93¾	93⅝	93¾	+¼
125 Marsden	5¼	5	5	+¼
101 Phila. Co....	48⅝	*47½	48⅝	-1¼
2 Do pfd.....	48	48	48	
471 Pgh. Coal....	29¾	29⅝	29⅝	+⅛
105 Do pfd....	92	91⅞	91⅞	0
100 River Coal....	11¾	11¾	11¾	0
100 Do pfd....	39¾	*39¼	39¾	+¼
50 S. U. Cable..	210	210	210	-1
100 S. & R. pfd.	22	22	22	+4
200 U. S. Steel...	40	40	40	+⅜
20 Do pfd.....	89½	89¼	89½	+⅞
30 West. Air'ke.	178	178	178	+1¼
430 W. Elec. 2ds	106½	106	106½	+1¼
170 W. El. com..	60	59½	60	+1¼
90 Ally. Trust..	154	154	154	-1
10 Amer. Trust..	125	125	125	-2
40 Colonial Tr.	630	615	615	-25
28 C.R.E. & T.	245	245	245	-8½
20 Fed'l N. B.	144	144	144	-3
10 M. & M. N. B.	136½	136½	136½	-11¼
25 Penna. Trust	855	840	840	-30
10 Pgh. Trust...	855	840	840	-30
10 State Bank..	73	73	73	+3
3385				

BONDS.

$1000 Birm. Tr. 5s	116	116	116	0
2000 Riv. Coal 6s	113¾	113¾	113¾	0

*Two shares or less. †New high mark.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
F Stock Ex	1000	....	Nat. Gas.	....	....
Pgh. Bks.	....	....	N.G.of W.V.	....	120¾
Ally. Nat..	130	....	Peoples Pip.	25⅜	....
Bk. of Pgh.	....	139	Wheeling ..	65	....

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
City Dep..	195	....	M. L. & H.	87	88
Colum. Nat	415	....	Mining	....	....
Fourth Nat	150	165	Luster	....	14½
Fifth Ave..	270	....	P. Transfer	....	....
Fed. N. B.	144½	145	Ally. Trac..	50	....
M. & M. N.	135½	137	P. V. Trac.	26½	27
Met. Nat..	175	195	Railroads.	....	....
Mon. Nat..	....	200	Mines	33	33½
N.B.of W.P	196	....	P. & L. E..	250	....
Peo. Nat..	....	170	Electric.	....	....
Second Nat	....	190	West. 2d pf	106½	107
State Bank	73	....	Birdsboro..	....	....
U. S. Nat..	....	150	Ewalt	....	65
W. B. Sav.	112	....	N. Side pfd.	17	....
W. & D....	....	115	Suspension .	37	50
Pgh Trust	....	....	Misc.	....	....
F. T. & T.	650	700	Cruc. Steel.	21⅞	22¼
Penna. Tr..	....	300	Do pfd.....	85⅜	85¾
Pgh. Trust	845	....	Marsden	5⅛	....
R. E. Trust	308	315	Mon. Water	40	41
Safe Dep...	160	175	N. F. Prod.	20¾	20⅞
Union Trust	2150	....	Do pfd.....	59⅝	59⅞
Com'wlth ..	247	250	Phila. Co..	48⅝	....
Colonial ..	610	615	P.& W. pfd.	53	54
Ally. Trust	....	154	Pgh. Storage.	....	44
Ally. Trust	154	154½	U.S. & S.pf.	....	105
D.S.F. & T.	300	300	U. S. Glass.	34	37
Insurance			West. Air'ke	....	180
Allemannia	....	65			

BONDS.

Cit. Tr. 5s..	....	118	....	....

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

Misc.			P. Coal pfd.	91⅝	91⅞
Am. W. Gl.	59¾	....	P.S. & R. pf.	21	23
Do pfd....	90½	....	A. B. Glass	140	....
Consol. Ice	....	13½	U. S. Steel.	39¾	40
M.R.C.& C.	11⅝	13⅛	Do pfd....	89	89½
Do pfd....	39⅜	39⅝	P. Ry. 1st.	....	....
P.B. & E.	....	59½	Dur. Ctr. 5s.	....	119
Pgh. Brew	31	31½	Misc.		
Do pfd...	47¾	48	M.R.C.&C6s	113	113½
Pgh. Coal..	29⅝	30	P. Brew. 6s.	....	112½

NOTES AND COMMENT.

At a meeting of the directors of the Fidelity Title & Trust Company yesterday a resolution was adopted recommending to stockholders an increase in the capital stock of the company from $1,000,000 to $2,000,000, the 10,000 shares new stock to be sold at $400 a share. Of the proceeds of the sale of the new stock, $1,000,000 will be added to capital, increasing the latter to $2,000,000, and $3,000,000 to surplus, increasing the latter to $4,000,000, making the total capital and surplus $6,000,000. The company has declared a quarterly dividend of 3 per cent, payable November 15, this being double the rate declared for the corresponding quarter last year. A special meeting of the stockholders has been called for December 10 to vote upon the capital stock increase. The Fidelity was the first of the local trust companies organized under the act of 1874 to conduct a general trust business, while today the second time the capital has been increased. In 1882 the capital was increased from $500,000 to $1,000,000, but the new stock was not full paid, only $400,000 of the $500,000 had been sold at par. In 1893 the company's deposits reached $1,270,000, while today they amount to $5,500,000. In 1895 the company had undivided profits of $263,000, while today the same item exceeds $1,000,000, all of which represents earnings, not premium from the sale of stock.

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FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

Pittsburgh Trust sells at 840, a decline of $30 a share.

Colonial Trust sold down to 615, a decline of $25.

Fidelity Trust directors double the dividend and vote to double the capital

Steel, Glass and Electric stocks firm and higher.

Sales for the day 3,385 shares stock and $3,000 bonds.

Bank exchanges increased more than $900,000.

IN WALL STREET.

Total sales for the day 729,900 shares.

Call money again advances to 15 per cent.

Reading sales reach 130,100 shares and an advance of one point is scored for the day.

Rumors of settlement of coal strike causes rise in interested stocks, but official denial starts reaction.

Pennsylvania makes slight gain, sales 43,800.

Sales of bonds, par value, are $2,720,000.

The city of Chicago will receive bids on October 20 for the purchase of $4,000,000 3½ per cent 20-year judgment bonds. The total debt, of all descriptions, of the city of Chicago, including the judgments for which these bonds are to be issued, is $24,000,000. The assessed valuation is $400,000,000, making the capital cash value $2,000,000,000.

The Phoenix Iron Company of Philadelphia has declared a quarterly dividend of $1.75 a share on the preferred stock, payable October 31, and a dividend of $2 a share on the common stock.

The earnings of the United Fruit Company for September were $150,000, against $48,000 for the same month last year.

The quick assets of the United States Steel Corporation, meaning raw material, bills and accounts receivable and cash on hand, are estimated at $245,000,000.

Tomorrow's bank statement should make a favorable showing. The banks have gained from the sub-treasury in one way or another, mainly on account of gold received from Australia and San Francisco, nearly $4,000,000, and that does not include the $1,100,000 received from Europe. It is estimated that pension payments are on the increase, while custom house payments are decreasing. On the other hand between now and the end of November time loans aggregating several millions of dollars will mature. Sterling exchange loans are also becoming payable, but although London bankers are not willing to renew sterling loans, proceeds are being made in reichmarks. Considering these facts it may be safely asserted that although owing to liquidation the financial situation has been somewhat strained, it is very far from being put into a condition which would warrant the suspension of a boll market. It is believed that the liquidation during the last week has been heavier than would be supposed from observation of transactions on the floor of the stock. In other words is generally admitted that certain overloaded houses were relieved of a portion of their burdens by private arrangement without the sales being recorded in the stock market.

The comptroller of the currency has granted authority to organize a national bank to John Horrigan, Jr., Bradock; William A. Fletcher, Leslie Keyes, James S. Copeland and George H. Spease, for the Dresden National bank, with $25,000 capital.

THE MONEY MARKET.

Money is in a little better supply in Pittsburgh. Several stock exchange houses report that they have been offered 6 per cent call loans, whereas a week or so ago the same banks were asking 7 per cent. The rates remain unchanged at 5@6 per cent. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Thursday	$4,599,125 30	$ 650,882 06
Last week.....	8,973,653 94	1,904,392 67
Last year.....	6,060,281 01	961,785 55

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Exchanges, $344,221,729; balances, $18,207,064.

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—Exchanges, $25,705,874; balances, $2,197,507. Call loans, 6@7 per cent; time, 6@6½ per cent.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 9.—Clearings, $20,053,711; balances, $2,929,631. Money, 6 per cent.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 9.—Clearings, $4,022,573; balances, $483,030. Money, 6 per cent.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—Clearings, $26,810,768; balances, $1,869,279. Posted exchange, $4 85½@4 87. New York exchange, 25c discount.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 9.—Money, 6@6 per cent. New York exchange, par. Clearings, $3,502,500.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 9.—Clearings, $7,716,308; balances, $736,864. Money steady, 5@6 per cent. New York exchange, 20c discount.

The Treasury and the Banks.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the Seattle assay office today's official report shows that sub-treasury paid out yesterday $8,500. Total thus paid since Friday, $20,000, against $76,000 for the same period a week ago. Total payment by government to date, $7,076,000, against $7,024,000. Payment by banks to government, $3,281,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $3,743,000, paid by government to banks. Total net payment by government to banks since Friday, $3,962,000, against $414,000, similarly paid for the corresponding period a week ago.

Money Closes at 15 Per Cent.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Money on call strong at 9@15 per cent; closed offered at 15 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 85.87½@4 86 for demand, and at $4 82.87½@4 83 for 60-day bills; posted rates, $4 84 and $4 87@4 87½; commercial bills, $4 82¾@4 82½; silver, 50¾c; Mexican dollars, 40¼c; government bonds steady; state bonds strong; railroad bonds irregular.

Japanese Loan Subscribed.

LONDON, Oct. 9.—The subscriptions for the Japanese loan of $25,000,000, which were opened Tuesday, were closed today. The loan is said to have been subscribed thrice over.

THE THREE RIVERS.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, Oct. 9.—River, 6.9 feet and rising. Packets in and out on time. The steamer Keystone State will be one of the ways in a few days with practically a new hull. When she comes off the Queen City will be out on the ways. The W. W. O'Neil left tonight with a tow of 30 empties for Pittsburgh.

LOUISVILLE—River falling. Canal, 3.9; falls, 1.7; foot of locks, 5.8. Business good. Packets on time. Mrs. Belle Johnson has applied for pilot's license here.

HUNTINGTON—River 9 feet and rising. Bonanza, for Cincinnati, at noon; down, with coal, Bill Clark, 5 p. m.; Otto Marmet, R. H. Gilhan, 6 p. m.; E. R. Andrews, 6:30 p. m.

WHEELING—River 4 feet 11 inches and falling. Departed, Cricket, Pittsburgh, 9 p. m. MARIETTA—River 5 feet and falling. Bessie Smith up, noon. Valley Belle down, noon. Locals on usual time.

OIL CITY—River 1 foot 10 inches and rising.

WARREN—River 1 foot.

GREENSBORO—River 7 feet 4 inches and falling. Elizabeth and Woodward down Friday; Gertrude and Columbia up.

STEUBENVILLE—River 4 feet 1 inch and falling.

GALLIPOLIS—River 2 feet 6 inches and rising.

PARKERSBURG—River 6 feet and falling. Valley Belle down, for Middleport.

POINT PLEASANT—River 6 feet 2 inches and falling. Clear and pleasant. Down, with 400 15s. Spelter is quiet but easy at New York at 5¼c. The London quotation is £19 7s 6d. Iron was lower abroad, Glasgow closing at 57s and Middlesboro at 53s. Locally, iron was quiet and unchanged. Warrants continue nominal. No. 1 foundry northern is quoted at $18 00@25 00; No. 1 foundry southern and No. 1 foundry southern, soft, $22 00@23 00.

Boston Copper Mining Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

	Bid.		Bid.
Allouez	3	Old Colony.....	2
Adventure	18	Parrot	25
Amalgamated	63¼	Phoenix	4
Arcadian	4½	Quincy	125
Bingham	23¾	Santa Cons.....	57¾
Calumet & Ariz..	85	Shoda Island....	3¾
Calumet & Hecla.	510	Swift	155
Centennial	17½	Trimountain	94
Calumet & Pgh..	47½	Trinity	10
Greene C.	25¾	Tamarack	161
L. S. & P. D....	80	United Fruit....	111¾
Mass	14¼	Utah	21½
Mohawk	46⅝	U. S. Mining.....	20¾
Michigan	9¼	Victoria	5
Osceola	57	Wolverine	67
Old Dominion....	16	Winona	4

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con.....	.15	Little Chief.....	.16
Alice	.25	Ontario	8.25
Breece	.50	Ophir	.80
Brunswick Con....	.09	Phoenix	.05
Comstock Tunnel..	.05	Potosi	.03
Con. Cal. & Va....	.90	Savage	.03
Horn Silver.....	3.20	Sierra Nevada....	.12
Iron Silver.....	2.70	Standard	3.00
Leadville Con....	.03		

Foreign Quotations.

LONDON, Oct. 9.—Money, 1¼@2 per cent. Discount for short bills is 3@3⅛ per cent. Three months' bills, 3⅛@3⅜ per cent. Gold premiums: Buenos Ayres, 128.20; Madrid, 32.62; Lisbon, 26.50; Rome, 95. The withdrawals of gold from the Bank of England today were $50,000 for shipment to Egypt and $180,000 for South America.

PARIS, Oct. 9.—Three per cent rentes, 100f 15c for the account; exchange on London, 25f 15½c for checks. Spanish 4s, 85 15-16.

BERLIN, Oct. 9.—Exchange on London, 20 marks 46½ pfgs for checks. Discount rates: Short bills, 2 per cent; three months' bills, 2⅝ per cent.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $226,006,216; gold, $135,954,627; silver, $9,274,265; United States notes, $3,960,500; treasury notes of 1890, $102,141; national bank notes, $12,646,812; total receipts this day, $3,138,958; total receipts this month, $13,145,760; total receipts this year, $161,642,676; total expenditures this day, $2,830,000; total expenditures this month, $13,145,000; total expenditures this year, $150,626,076; deposits in national banks, $141,659,466.

Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The demand for cotton goods is unchanged. Fair orders in the aggregate for quick deliveries, with indifferent request for forward contracts. Tone of market continues firm throughout. The jobbing trade has picked up this week, owing to fine weather. Some jobbers report a good business in cotton wash goods for spring of 1903.

Cabinet Officer Injured.

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 9.—The minister of marine, Rear Admiral Joehnke, fell on the steps of the rigsdag today and fractured his thigh.

READY FOR COMPROMISE.

Warring Claimants for W. S. Stratton's Money Hold Conference.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Oct. 9.—Attorneys for I. Harry Stratton, who is trying to break the will of his father, the late W. S. Stratton, and the warring executors and administrators of the estate, held a conference this afternoon and it is reported that a compromise has practically been decided upon.

The report says that the son's offer to compromise for $1,000,000 may be accepted for the executors, who would then be left to carry out the provisions of the estate.

TROUBLES OF THE U. V. U.

Legal Fight Over a Deposed Commander Arouses Much Acrimony.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 9.—The Union Veterans' union today held a lively session, the question of who shall succeed Commander-in-Chief R. G. Dyrenforth being the main cause of trouble.

Recently Commander Meacham of the department of the Potomac secured a restraining order protecting him from removal from office. The session was held behind closed doors. The debate at times was acrimonious.

Honorary Degrees for Americans.

OXFORD, ENG., Oct. 9.—The honorary degree of doctor of civil law was conferred today on Ambassador Andrew D. White. The degree of doctor of science was bestowed upon Prof. Charles S. Minot of Harvard, and that of doctor of literature upon Prof. A. F. West of Princeton and Prof. J. H. Canfield of Columbia.

Evans Hearing Waived.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—The attorneys for John M. Evans, charged with larceny in connection with the Keystone Copper & Gold mining Company, of Pittsburgh, agreed to waive the examination before Judge Rogers today on account of the absence of Judge G. F. Arrel, attorney for the Pittsburgh people. Evans, with a guard, is permitted to stay at a hotel.

Americans to Improve Chile.

SANTIAGO, CHILE, Oct. 9.—Engineers who represent New York capitalists, have arrived here for the purpose of building railroads and other public works in Chile. The party was received today with great cordiality by President Riesco, who promised them every facility in their work. It is said that $25,000,000 is to be expended on railroads and other improvements.

Young Woman Sues for Slander.

WASHINGTON, PA., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—A sensational suit for damages has been instituted here against Mr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Stocking, prominent people of this place, by Grace Mankey, a well-known young woman. She seeks to recover $5,000 from each of the defendants, charging that they slandered her by asserting publicly that she had been guilty of various grossly immoral acts.

Fusion Finally Arranged.

ALTOONA, PA., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—After weeks of conferences a fusion legislative ticket was agreed upon by the Democratic and Union party county executive committees this evening. Charles J. McCullough, an Altoona attorney, was named as the Democrat, and his colleague is O. H. Hewit, also a lawyer, of Hollidaysburg.

New Theater in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—(Special.)—A site for a new theater in Forty-third street was made public today. Who is the purchaser of the property and the builder of the prospective theater could not be learned. Its entrance will adjoin the new Republic.

CARNEGIE GIFT ACCEPTED.

Donor Says His Heart Was Always Warm Toward Ireland.

LONDON, Oct. 9.—Andrew Carnegie's gifts of $75,000 to Belfast and $35,000 to Limerick for the establishment of libraries have been accepted.

In writing his acceptance of the proffered freedom of Limerick, Mr. Carnegie said this was an honor too great to be declined, and that his heart was always warm to toward Erin.

All-Americans Win at Wheeling.

WHEELING, W. VA., Oct. 9.—(Special.)—The All-Americans had rare sport this afternoon at the expense of the patch-work Wheeling team, which had disbanded a week ago. Wheeling's scores were due to the coolest and indifferent playing of the visitors. Score: All-Americans ...0 0 4 2 0 3 0 1 *—10
Wheeling .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Base hits—Americans, 14; Wheeling, 5. Errors—Americans, 1; Wheeling, 5. Batteries—Sullivan and Mercer; Farrell, Shaffer and Lucas.

Detective Sharkey Out on Bail.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—(Special.)—Detective Thomas J. Sharkey, who was indicted for manslaughter in the first degree for the death of Nicholas Fish, injured in a saloon brawl, was released by Recorder Goff today on $7,500 bail.

MOVEMENTS IN BUSINESS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The board of directors of the Southern Railway Company declared a semi-annual dividend today of 2½ per cent on preferred stock.

DOVER, DEL., Oct. 9.—A certific

EARLY STRENGTH SOON GIVES WAY

Call Money Again Advances to 15 Per Cent and Prices Sag.

READING HAS BIG BOOM

Sales of 130,000 Shares are Made and Price Advances a Point. Rumors of Settlement of Coal Strike Officially Denied.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, Oct. 9.—Today's stock market was much the same as that of yesterday. The volume of dealings was like the same and the general show of early strength gave way to an irregularly dull and hesitating market in the afternoon, as it did yesterday. The closing was very irregular, with a few of the leading stocks at top prices and others at bottom prices, and sagging certainly between those levels for the majority of the list. The favorable outlook for easier money and the strong current belief that the coal strike was on the eve of a settlement were the motives for the buying, which showed some urgency in the case of some of the coalers. The obvious fact that earnest consultations were going on and every effort being made to bring powerful influence to bear to effect a settlement of the strike gave color to the belief and gave rise to the tireless rumors, none of which could be identicated. The favorite story this morning was that J. P. Morgan had assured his authority in favor of a compromise with the strikers and that President Baer of the Reading had thereupon resigned.

Rumors Officially Denied.

Official disclaimers of many of the rumors were put out during the course of the day and prices declined in consequence. Stocks of gas companies shared most notably in the strength of the coal stocks, owing to the relief the coal strike settlement would afford to the scarcity of material for the manufacture of gas. However, gains of 1 to 2 points were very well distributed through the list at the period of the highest prices. The payment yesterday by the sub-treasury of $8,000,000 on account of Australian bid at San Francisco was supplemented today by the payment of $870,000 additional on the same account. An incoming steamship also brought another $500,000 worth of gold of the South African consignment, secured by the National City bank. The sub-treasury has contributed a small sum to the money market during the week on regular operations. It appears, therefore, that the banks have gained gold to the extent of about $5,000,000 to offset the shipments to the interior.

Hope of Easier Money.

It was the knowledge of this condition that caused the hopes of easier money. But while no liquidation was forced by calling of loans, the banks still refrained from extending loans on the stock exchange. Late in the day call loans mounted again to 15 per cent. Rates for time loans for 30 days to six months are still held in the neighborhood of 8 to 9 per cent for the various periods, thus showing the conviction that money will continue scarce well into the coming year. Sterling exchange steadied again today, and intimations came from London that the Bank of England is preparing to borrow money from the market in order to check the downward course of discount rates and prevent possible gold exports. The weekly statement shows that the English institution had lost $5,021,085 in gold. The Bank of France in the same time lost $2,600,000 in gold. The New York exchange at Chicago dropped today to 25@30 cents discount compared with 10 cents discount yesterday, thus indicating pretty clearly the direction which will be taken by the first money that can be spared by the New York banks. The stimulating influence of the hope of easier money was also counteracted in this way, helping to the irregular tone of the late market.

Bonds became irregular in sympathy with stocks. Total sales, par value, $2,720,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CENTRAL STOCK YARDS,
Thursday, October 9.

Cattle—Supply light and market steady. Choice, 1,400 to 1,500 lbs, $6 00@6 50; good, 1,000 to 1,300 lbs, $4 75@5 50; tidy butchers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs, $4 50@5 00; fair, 900 to 1,000 lbs, $3 75@4 25; common, 800 to 800 lbs, $2 75@3 25; bulls and stags, $2 10@4 00; common to good, $2 00@4 00; best fresh cows, $46 00@55 00; common to good, $20 00@35 00.

Hogs—Receipts, 6 double-decks; market slow and firm; 10c to 20c over Monday's; heavies, $7 60@7 65; mediums, $7 45@7 55; heavy Yorkers, $7 35@7 40; light Yorkers, $7 20@7 25; pigs, $6 75@6 90; skips, $2 00@5 00; roughs, $6 00@6 25.

Sheep—Supply fair; market steady. Best wethers, 95 to 100 lbs, $3 75@4 00; good mixed, 90 to 100 lbs, $3 40@3 65; mixed, 75 to 80 lbs, $2 75@3 25; culls and yearlings, $3 50@4 00; choice lambs, $5 00@5 75; common to good, $3 00@5 40; veal calves, $8 00@8 25; heavy and thin, $4 00@5 00.

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KANSAS CITY, MO., Oct. 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,500 natives, 1,000 Texans; Calves—200 Texans and 250 natives. Corn cattle opened steady to strong; others dull; native steers higher, quarantine steers and native feeders steady; western stockers dull and weak. Choice export and dressed beef steers, $6 00@7 85; fair to good, $4 60@6 00; western fed steers, $3 50@5 00; western fed steers, $3 00@5 00; Texas and Indian steers, $2 40@3 75; Texas cows, $1 65@2 60; native cows, $1 75@4 00; native heifers, $2 10@4 65; canners and cutters, $1 20@2 00; bulls, $1 50@3 50; calves, $2 50@5 75. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000 head. Slow, 10@15c lower; closing dull. Top, $7 30; bulk of sales, $7 20@7 25; heavy, $7 17½@7 25; mixed packers, $7 12½@7 30; light, $7 15@7 25; yorkers, $7 20@7 25; pigs, $6 40@7 20. Sheep—Receipts, 8,000 head; slow but steady; native lambs, $4 25@5 85; western lambs, $4 50@5 90; fed ewes, $2 90@3 50; native wethers, $3 55@4 00; western wethers, $3 40@3 65; stockers and feeders, $1 25@3 90.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000 head. Including 2,000 veterans. Steady to strong. Good to prime steers, $7 40@8 50; poor to medium, $3 75@7 25; stockers and feeders, $2 25@5 60; cows, $1 40@4 75; heifers, $2 25@5 50; canners, $1 20@2 10; bulls, $2 25@4 75; calves, $3 50@7 50; Texas fed steers, $3 00@4 00; western steers, $3 75@6 00. Hogs—Receipts, 18,000 head; sheep and lambs, choice, steady; others lower. Good to choice wethers, $4 25@5 75; fair to choice mixed, $2 25@3 25; native lambs, $3 50@5 75; spring lambs, $5 75@6 75.

EAST BUFFALO, Oct. 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; stronger; prime steers, $7 00@7 75; shippings, $5 50@6 75; butchers, $4 00@5 75; heifers, $4 00@5 25; cows, $2 25@4 50; canners, $1 50@2 00; bulls, $2 50@4 25; stockers and feeders, $2 50@3 00. Hogs—Receipts, 15,000 head; sheep and lambs, choice, steady; others lower. Good to choice wethers, $4 25@4 75; fair to choice mixed, $2 25@3 25; native lambs, $3 00

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